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Financial and Commercial-Page 10. adverse crop reports,... Heavy exports of corn impart firmness to that commodity....Increased activity on the New York Stock Exchange The silver market firmer Higher prices rule in the wool trade Market quotations General business topics.

THE RUBBER COMBINE.

Only Giving Consumers the Benefit of Economy.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 18.—Charles R. Flint, treasurer of the United States Rubber Company, on being shown a statement that there was collusion be-tween the United States Rubber Comny and competing companies in fix-prices, states: "As I testified be-the Lexow Committee, there never any contract between the United was any contract between the Un States Rubber Company and the side companies as to prices, and I deny that there has been any collusion in fixing the prices this year between the United States Rubber Company and the other rubber companies. As fore-hadowed some time ago, it was fore-hadowed some time ago, it was deemed advisable by the directors of the United States Rubber Company to give the consumer the benefit of economy by reducing the prices for the coming year It will undoubtedly result in a great increase in the volume of coming year It will undoubtedly result in a great increase in the volume of business, and while it is not for the purpose of interfering with the creation of new companies, possibly this may be the result. Prices of the Goodyear India Rubber Manufacturing Company, the Candee Company and other standard brands are the same."

A Big Mining Deal. PHOENIX (Ariz.) March 18.— The mines of the Santa Maria Mining Company were transferred today to an eastern syndicate, headed by J. B. Greenhut of Peoria, Ill., of the Whisky Trust. The price is reported to exceed \$500,000.

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SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.-Fo Southern California: Showers Friday westerly winds.

COREA'S CROWN.

A Princely Prisoner to Be Put Upon His Father's Throne.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.-Prin Eui Wha, who is expected to succeed to the throne of Korea upon the death of his father, the reigning King, is at his father, the reigning King, is at present restrained of his liberty by a band of Korean exiles in Yokohama, with the full knowledge and consent of the Japanese authorities. Such, at least, is the information that

was brought from the Orient by the was brought from the orient by the source comes the information that the Koreans in question are planning a raid into Korea for the purpose of de-throning the King and placing their princely prisoner and protégé on the

receiving the moral support of the Jap-anese government, is vouched for by a returned missionary from the Orient, Rev. J. S. Gale, who arrived on the Peru, after spending nine years in Korea and a year in Japan.

A Bag Repairer Bounced.

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WASHINGTON, March 18.—Edward Collins of Michigan, superintendend of the mail-bag repair house of the Post-office Department, has been peremptorily dismissed by Postmaster-General Gary, and Inspector McMurray of the shop temporarily detailed as his successor. The action is based on charges filed some weeks ago with Postmaster-General Wilson, alleging immorality.

FALLEN GIRLS

Afraid of Them.

That is Why He Tried to Kill One of Budd's Bills.

Those Whittier Lasses Cause a Deal of Trouble.

Senator Franck Says the Governor is a Blanked Fool—Legislative Committees are Unable to Find Any Evidence of Bribery.

[BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.] SACRAMENTO, March 18 .- [Special Dispatch. 1 Henry French, president of he board of trustees of the San José Normal School, appeared before Assemblymen Price and Bridgford, sitting as committee of investigation, late this afternoon, to explain his connection attempt which Gov. Budd stated in his message Monday that had peen made to kill Mr. Bulla's Senate Bill No. 494. Three subpoenas had been ssued for him by the committee, but he vehemently protested that no summons had been served on him; he came as soon as he learned that the committee wanted him. He orated to the stenographer at great length, while the committeemen waited patiently for him to finish, concerning his efforts to defeat the bill because it would allow the trustees of the Normal School to pursue policy which was opposed to the wishes of the best people of Santa Clara, namely that of transferring part of the Whittier Reform School to Santa Clara, and obliging pure young women to teach "those fallen girls." Mr. French has not been publicly mentioned in that capacity, but he took great credit to himself for having through his personal influence secured the defeat of the measure to remove the Whittier girls to Santa Clara, and said the trustees had discussed the propo-sition to present him a gold medal for his services in this regard. He de clared that he had tried to kill the Nor mal School Bill because it was not the bill of the committee of trustees who had been requested by Gov. Budd to frame one, which committee, he said, have never been called together.

Chairman Price said: "Then you knew more about Budd's bill than he did himself?"

"I did not put it just that way, Mr. Price," returned the modest manipulator. He claimed to be ignorant of methods of legislation, but was very lame in his explanation of why he had written Secretary Brandon of the Senate and State Printer Johnston to "blockade" or "kill" the bill, and why he had marked his telegrams "personal" or had written in the "strictest confidence."

Chairman Price asked him if he thought he could not have gained his point by openly publishing his reasons against the bill. French claimed to be be made of his communications, it was due to his unfortunate use of language without consulting his dictionary. He said nothing about the effect which, it is claimed, the bill would have of giving the Governor too much power aver actuated only by the highest motives, ormal schools, but based his whole

defense on his desire to save Santa Clara county from the Whittier girls The committee had prepared a report stating that they had been unable to find French, but that the latter's telegrams and letters had been properly set forth in the Governor's messages that such unlawful attempts to influ ence legislation were deserving of the severest condemnation; but after his testimony they modified this to read that while French ascribed his attempts to the purest motives, never-theless steps should be taken by proper theless steps should be taken by proper legislation to safeguard bills against

ssible interference. Clerk Varcoe and other clerks of the Assembly and Senate are exonerated. Senator Bulla is indignant at the veto of the Whittier Bill by the Governor and says he does not understand what influenced Budd against the bill that the latter himself advocated, unless it was Catholic opposition. Senator Franck of Santa Clara was even more indignant than the Los Angeles Sena-

"He is a ____ fool," said Mr. Franck referring to the Governor. "It was his own bill. The college down there and Archbishop Riordan were against it. Nick Bodin of San José came up the other day. He is close to the Governor and probably influenced him against the bill. I don't know wha our people will do with those build-ings down there. They have been idle six years and I guess they will have to stay empty for two more."

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man named Bond of must be idle. A man named Bond of-fered \$12,000 for it when he heard the Whittier school was to be moved there but I don't know as he will want it

BRIBERY INVESTIGATIONS. Legislative Committees Unable to

Unearth Any Crookedness.
[BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.] SACRAMENTO, March 18 .- [Specia SACRAMENTO, March 18.—(Special Dispatch.) The Assembly Retrenchment Committee, which is investigating the allegations of bribery in connection with the Coyote Scalp Bill, is securing very little evidence in support of the charges. In fact, it appears as if the

engineered the deal, is wanted as a witness, but cannot be found. Levings and Lawrence of the Examiner have been served, through the Sheriff of San Francisco, with a subpoena and are expected to arrive tonight.

Cashier Gerber of the bank which Packerd is supposed to have visited, testified that he never had had business or other dealings with the latter. A number of Assemblymen were exam-A number of Assemblymen were examined, but could throw no light on the subject. Nearly all of them stated that they changed their votes when they were satisfied that there were sufficient safeguards around the bill.

George McCalvey testified that he had heard some rumors of bribery, but knew of no money having been passed. Attorney Andy Clunie testified that all he knew came in a professional way and he could not testify unless he ob-tained permission from Mr. Hearst's people.

Correspondent Ryan of the Chronicle also testified that all he had heard was rumor. He would not give the names of persons who had discussed it, unless could first procure their con The committee did not press the ques-tion. The investigation is expected to tomorrow.

The Senate committee of investigation in the matter of Caminetti's As-sembly Bill 273 made a report this afternoon in which they said the charge of bribery were groundless and devoid of truth. There is a proposition on foot for the Senate, instead of adjourning, to take a recess for six months, when it shall again assemble to give the imprisoned Examiner men a chance to make answer, but it is doubtful if it is carried out.

A MERITORIOUS MEASURE. Bulla's Bill 483 Will not Be Recon-

sidered. [BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, March 18 .- [Special SACRAMENTO, March 16. "ISpecial Dispatch.] Assemblyman Mead has re-ceived telegrams from Postmaster Mathews and others of Los Angeles, asking him not to urge reconsideration of Senator Bulla's bill No. 483, raising the class of cities, saying the people want it. Mr. Mead explains that his motion to reconsider was a friendly one and due to the fact that the original bill was defective, in that it did not provide a class for population between 100,000 and 250,000. The bill was amended in the Senate to remedy this defect, and was properly passed by the As-sembly, but members having the orig-inal unamended bill thought it still de-fective, and therefore Mead moved reconsideration. On discovering that the bill was in proper shape he withdrew his motion. With Senator Bulla, Mr. Mead will go to the Governor tomorrow morning and ask him to sign the bill at once as a meritorious measure.

CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE. THIRTY-SECOND SESSION.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] SACRAMENTO, March 18 .- SENATE The Senate this morning reconsidered and passed a bill appropriating \$300,000 for a State building in San Francisco. The claim of Capt. John Mullan against the State for \$45.000 was also passed.

The Senate passed the school-teachers' annuity fund, Assemblyman Jones being the author.

following Assembly bills also passed the Senate: By Shanahan, to provide for the auditing of claims against the State, of soldiers in Indian wars in California, etc.; by Bettman, to confer certain powers upon corpora-tions for the purpose of discovering and preventing fires; by Arnerich, to amend section 1196 of the Political Code relating to elections; by Wright, to create and regulate public warehouses; by Langford, appropriating \$435 to pay claims of the State Board of Health for traveling expenses; by Linder, provid-ing for public sale or exchange of fund-ing bonds of irrigation districts; by Guy, to pay the claim of Charles Phipps for services as assistant secre-

of a court of claims.

ASSEMBLY.—Assemblyman Dibble of San Francisco made a vicious assault upon Senator Seawell of Mendocino tonight. The debate was upon Seawell's bill amending section 685 of the Civil Code, relating to the enforcement of execution judgments after a lapse of five years from the date of entry. Dibble accused Seawell of attempting to pass the bill through coercive means, and of having today been the means of defeating in the Senate one of his (Dibble's) bills because of the latter's opposition to Seawell's measure. The latter act was charged by Dibble with being in the personal interest of Seawell to save a lawsuit in which Seawell to save a lawsuit in which Seawell is an attorney. The bill was refused passage after a fight lasting nearly an hour.

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The Assembly tonight agreed to drop all bills still left upon the files. All bills still in committee were ordered forthwith reported.

The Senate constitutional amendment relative to the validation of the debt of the city and county of San Francisco passed the Assembly tonight.

The conference report on the County Government Bill was presented and was agreed to.

CONTUMACIOUS JOURNALISTS.

Lawrence and Levings Try Another Writ of Habeas Corpus.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18 .- United States District Judge Morrow issued a writ of habeas corpus, returnable forthwith on the petition of A. M. Lawrence and L. L. Levings and Deputy Sheriff Heintz of Sacramento, who took the two into court about 3 o'clock this afternoon in response thereto. The Sheriff was given until 10 o'clock to-morrow to make a return or a showing why a return could not be made at that time. At the same time the prisoners were released on \$1000 ball each.

SUICIDE OF A SWELL

John B. Clements of St. Louis Takes HIS OWN Life.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

ST. LOUIS, March 18.—Sohn B. Cle-

ST. LOUIS, March 18.—Sohn B. Clements committed suicide yesterday at the Arlington Hotel in Hot Springs, Ark. by firing a bullet through his head. He resided in this city at No. 3969 Westminster Place. He was 26 years of age and vice-president of the Christy Fire Clay Company, one of the wealthiest pressed-brick concerns in the city. He was one of the well-known young men in the swell set and prominent in local politics. He went to Hot Springs for his health February 9.

States, and said that this country would best conserve its own interests such as the present treaty contemplates. Senator Morgan continued his statement in opposition to the treaty on the ground that it was un-American, and more than once made the point that it was the work of the titled aristocracy of Consul of the Ottoman Empire at Boston, held by Joseph Islagi, arrested the people of this country and the

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to be taken from the Library. ++++

It Will Begin in the House Monday.

Speaker Reed Will Block All Other Business.

Stormy Session of the Ways and Means Committee.

Senator Stewart Introduces a Bill for the Relief of One Corbett. The Arbitration Treaty Again Under Consideration.

IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.1 WASHINGTON, March 18.—Speaker Reed has definitely decided that for the present at least he will not ap-point any of the regular committees of the House beyond the three already announced. In this way all the miscel laneous legislation will be blocked, and the entire attention of the House focused on the Tariff Bill. The bills which are being introduced by the hundreds will have to wait until the committee to which they would go under the natural order of things are appointed. It is not even likely that the Appropriation Committee will be ap-pointed. As soon as the Tariff Bill has been sent to the Senate the appropria-tion bills as they were sent to the President and the Deficiency, as was

agreed to in conference, will be put through under special orders which the Rules Committee will bring in for the purpose. By avoiding complications which might arise if the legislative mill should be thrown open to an indis-criminate grind, the House leaders say they can materially expedite financial legislation in the Senate by rendering delay in the upper branch of Congress on the tariff all the more conspicuous by the inaction of the House.

FIFTY-FIFTH CONGRESS. EXTRA SESSION.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] WASHINGTON, March 18.-SEN ATE.—The session of the Senate today was brief and uneventful. A large number of bills were introduced and the first report of the session was re-

A smile went around the chamber when Mr. Stewart, a resident of Carson City, Nev., where the puglistic contest occurred yesterday, offered a bill for the relief of one Corbett. It proved to be a private pension bill.

One of the measures introduced by

Mr. Gallinger proposed an amendment to the Constitution prohibiting legislato the Constitution prohibiting legisla-tion in behalf of any religious denomi-nation. Mr. Turple of Indiana gave notice of a speech on Tuesday on the election of Senators by popular vote and introducing a resolution propos-ing an amendment to the Constitution for the purpose.

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The first report of the session was presented by Mr. Gear of Iowa from the Committee on Pacific Railroads and was favorable to the bill for an adjustment of the Pacific railroad debts.

ARBITRATION TREATY. Senator Morgan Opposes it in Executive Session.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 18.—When the Senate went into executive session today nominations for foreign ambassadors and the arbitration treaty were reported. Senator Morgan began speaking on the treaty, opposing it on the grounds he did when it was last before the Senate.

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The report in favor of the treaty was presented by Senator Davis, as chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee and was in the shape of a resolution for ratification. Mr. Morgan's speech was a statement of his position, and that of Senators Daniel and Mills, and was in the nature of a minority report in opposition to the treaty. He spoke at considerable length, going over much ground covered by himself, and the others when the treaty was before the Senate during the last session. He made the point that England's interests were antagonistic to those of the United States, and said that this country would best conserve its own interests by avoiding all entangling alliances, such as the present treaty contemplates.

common people of England," he said and then he stated that he ranked such leaders as Gladstone and Bright with the English commoners. But he contended that the interests of the British aristocrats were in every way antagonistic to the interests of the American people. He also advanced the argument that one Congress could not by its acts bind another and said that on this account the treaty was a mere plece of buncombe.

"The right of declaring war," he said, "is given to Congress and it is implied that it is given as much to one Congress as to another, hence it would not be binding on future sessions."

At the conclusion of Senator Morgan's remarks, Senator Davis gave notice that he would ask the Senate to take up the treaty again tomorrow, and he would then speak on it.

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THE DINGLEY BILL.

Debate on it Begins in the House Next Monday. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 18.—The programme for the Tariff Bill in the House was agreed upon by the Ways and Means Committee after a long and somewhat discordant meeting, in which there was disagreement not only between the two parties, but among the Democratic members of the com-

The bill will be reported to the House debate will begin Monday next and the final vote will be taken on Wednesday, March 31. In the meantime the House will be in session from 11 in the morning to an indefinite hour at night with

a recess for dinner, all the time to be consumed in debate on the bill. It was proposed by Chairman Ding-ley to have the debate begun on Friday as soon as the bill had been reported, but the Democrats opposed this feature of the programme so strenuously, reminding their adversaries that they had permitted the Wilson Bill to be considered in the committee for a week, that the Republicans conceded more time to them.

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The Republicans presented a list of amendments which were incorporated in the bill by a party vote, while many amendments were proposed by Democrats, several of which did not secure the united support of the representatives of that party.

Some friction was developed between Mr. Bailey of Texas and Mr. McMillin of Tennessee, the former having, been promoted over the head of the latter to the position of senior Democratic member of the committee by virtue of his position as candidate of the Democrats for the Speakership of the House. It is understood Mr. Bailey will make the minority report on the bill, but will concede to Mr. McMillin the privilege of making the first speech in opposition.

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Mr. McLaurin said 60,000,000 pounds of cotton had been imported into the United States from seventeen countries last year, and he did not see how Democrats who voted for duties on wheat and corn, of which importations were small, in the Wilson Bill, could consistently refuse to vote for a duty on cotton. Two Democrats voted for the amendment, Messrs. McLaurin of South Carolina and Robertson of Louisiana. The Republicans votes against it. The amendment was to place a duty of 2½ cents per pound on all cotton. A motion by Mr. Swanson to strike out the sugar differential duty received the votes of all the Democrats except Mr. Robertson. The latter proposed an amendment to direct the President to give notice of the abrogation of the treaty with Hawali, by which sugar of that country is admitted free.

All of the Democratic members supported this proposition, but the Republicans voted against it.

A motion to substitute the wool schedule of the Wilson act, made by Mr. McMillin, was supported by all the Democrats, except Mr. Baily. Incidentally Chairman Dingley stated that the duties on wool in the new bill were equal to 75 per cent. ad valorem, which failed on a party vote.

ton. Placing Rockingham earthenware at 40 per cent. ad valorem.

Anti-friction ball bearings for bicycles of iron or steel or combined iron and steel, at 45 per cent. ad valorem.

Ochre and ochre earths, dried and powdered, one-half cent a pound.

Welded cylindrical furnaces made from plate metal, 2½ cents a pound (an addition of about ½ cent to the rate in the bill.)

Butchers' and packers' skewers at 40.

Butchers' and packers' skewers at 40 cents per 1000, change from 35 per cent. Changing the paragraph of the tobacco schedule, which rates were pound, unstemmed, and \$2.75 stemmed, to all tobacco in any bale, box or package, or in bulk, which shall contain ex-ceeding 15 per cent. leaves suitable for wrappers by adding which or which shall be the growth of different coun-

tries. Presidential Appointments. WASHINGTON, March 18 .- President McKinley today sent to the Senate the

following nominations: Powell Clayton of Arkansas, to be Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to Mexico.
William Osborne of Massachusetts,
Consul-General at London.
John K. Gowdy, Indiana, ConsulGeneral at Paris.
John M. Brigham, Ohio, Assistant

is the Better Man.

The New Champion is not in a Hurry to Fight Again.

the ex-Champion Wants it Under-stood That He Was Beaten Fairly, but Says Fitz Can't Do it Again for Any Amount of Coin.

[BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.] CARSON, March 18.-[Special Dispatch.] It is startling to see what a difference a few hours has made in the peace of this town. At 7 o'clock last night the place was a congested and howling community, plentifully supplied with inebriates, gamblers peddlers. Today there is hardly a soul on the streets, and Carson is the same Sleepy Hollow that it was five weeks when Stuart arrived and de-

cided on a location for his battle ground. Brady and Egan leave tonight. Corbett's manager has the courage of his convictions about the Californian. He said: "I'll wager \$20,000 on Corbett If Fitz will meet him again. I can get five times that much if necessary. I need not now deny the fact that Jim was stale and tired a week before the fight. He wasn't trained right, and that's all ther is to it, and, besides, his terrible fits of nervousness did him lots of harm. He was overtrained and was worked to hard within a few days of the fight."

It was pointed out that Corbett was weakening for three of four rounds be-

fore the finish came. "That is perfectly true," Brady said.
"At the end of the eleventh round Jim came back to his corner and said to me in a gasping way, 'Billy, I have got a terrible punch in the stomach.' He wanted to put his hands down to his stomach when he was sitting in his chair, but I held my own hand there tight and he tried to fight the feeling off. He did not want Fitz or the public to know that he was badly hurt. He was getting weaker from then to the end of the thirteenth round, when he just began to recover himself again. Then in the fourteenth he got another punch on the very same place, that settled the business for good. Jim was fighting all right for the first six rounds; he was going for Fitz's stomach as he had planned to do. But two things stopped him then from keeping it up. One was the lesson he learned from the Choynski fight about taking close chances with a dangerous right against him, and the other was that fool Sharkey sang out from behind Jim's Corner: 'Go for his head, Corbett.' Well, Corbett went for Fitz's head and landed lots of times, too, but

adjustment of the Pacific raliproad debts by a commission consisting of the Secretary of the Interior, Secretary of the Treasury and Attorney-General.

Mr. Gear asked that the bill be made the unfinished business of the Senate, with the proviso- that it should not be taken up for a month. There was an objection, however, from Mr. Cockrell of Missouri and after considerable discussion the bill went to the calendar. There was an objection, however, from Mr. Cockrell of Missouri and after considerable discussion the bill went to the calendar. There was an objection, however, from Mr. Cockrell of Missouri and after considerable discussion the bill went to the calendar. There was an Means Committee on Finance held a meetable of the proposed and the business of the Senate was a considerable and the business of the Senate went into forections and still proportion, and on sugar above No. 16. Dutch standard in color, tank bottomatic of the bill for a commercial mission.

A resolution by Mr. Lodge of Massachusetts was agreed to instructing the Committee on Foreign Relations to inquire whether the islands of St. Croix, St. Johns and St. Thomas of the West Indian group could be purchased by the United States, and, if not, whether there is an probability of their sale to day for only fifteen minutes and that time was consumed in the reading of the executive seesion and at 2 p.m. adjourned until tomorrow.

HOUSE—The House was in session today for only fifteen minutes and that time was consumed in the reading of the pournal. The galleries were filled in anticipation of the opening of the tariff debate, but Mr. Henderson of lowa announced that the Ways and Means Committee on Finance held a meetable was a probability of their sale to day to the proportion, and on sugar above No. 6eg., and not be ready to report until tomorrow.

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TAKING IT EASY.

The New Champion Not in a Hurry to Reenter the Ring.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

CARSON, March 18.—The new chamon pugilist of the world was taking things very easy today. He spent the night at his old training quarters and this morning walked over to the peni-tentiary and took a bath, and for the balance of the day loafed around the house and did nothing. He looked in excellent shape and the terrific pounding that he received in the ring yesterday from Corbett did not she such extent as might have been expected. His lower lip was cut quite badly, and he had covered it liberally thing about him that gave any indication of the ordeal he had gone through on the preceding day. One thumb was tied up and Bob explained he had hurt this on Corbett's head in the first round and that it gave him much trouble dur-ing the fight. He was cheerful to the last degree over the result of the test, but did not have a great deal to

say regarding it.
"My lips are very thin," said Fitsimmons, "and crack open without being hurt. I know I lost some blood yester-day, but it didn't weaken me at all, and things looked much worse with me than they really were. There was not a time when I was not sure of win ning, and after the sixth round in which they say Corbett had me going.

I told my men I was going to lick Corbett to a certainty. I saw he was able to keep his head out of my way, and then I began to play for his body, and I finished him just as I did Sharkey. There is no sense in saying it was a chance blow. It was just the kind of a blow I was waiting for a chance to deliver, and when my chance came I sent it home and won the fight.

"There was no time during the fight, he said, "when I was not confident of winning. Why, in the fifth and sixth rounds, when they say Corbett had me going, I had no doubt whatever in my mind that I was going to be the winner of that fight. I knew that I had him all the time. After the seventh round, I kept getting stronger and fresher all the time, and he was getting weaker, I could tell that by his blows and by his strength in the clinches. I knew that I could end the fight with a punch or two when I had a good chance to land them, and I knew that I was going to outlast him when it came to the question of endurance. What had I to fear, anyhow? It was a sure thing for me, all of the time, and I knew it. I knocked him out just as I knocked out Sharkey, the only difference being that this time I got the credit for what I did. There were lots of people in the country who said I could not stay with Corbett, and that if the fight ilasted over ten rounds it meant he would be a sure winner. I knew that I could outlast him, and I would have shown the world that I could tire him out if I had not a chance to knock him out.

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"In the early part of the fight I played for his jaw, and I must say that he kept it out of the way in mighty good style. I reached it several thmes, however, and I knew that I would sooner or later get there with it. He was so clever, however, in guarding his jaw that it meant too much waste effort on my part to keep trying to hit him there, and, besides, I could reach him often enough. I then began playing for his body, and in a short time I landed him."

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Regarding his future movements, Fitzsimmons said: "I have not decided just what I will do, but one thing is certain, and that is that I will not fight any more for at least two years. It has been three years since Corbett fought any more for at least two years. It has been three years since Corbett fought any for the championship, and I am not going into any finish contests for two years, anyhow. After that time I may decide to fight again, and I may not. It all depends on how I feel. I am getting along in years now, and two years more on my present age will bring me not far from forty years of age. That's a rather mature age for any man to engage in finish contests in the ring. However, I will not say now what I will do. I may fight again, and I may not. I shall pay no attention to the challenges made by Goddard, Mitchell and Sharkey. They are all bluff challenges, and not worth my consideration."
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THE EX-CHAMPION.

Corbett is a Lively Corpse, but His

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.— James J. Corbett, ex-champion of the world, rose bright and early this morn-ing and ate a hearty breakfast in his private rooms at the hotel. He had slept soundly all night, having been under the influence of opiates, administered by a physician. His face was pallid, but bore few marks of injury, and Jim said he felt fine.

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When an Associated Press representative told him that a report, was curdent in the East that he was dead Corbett was at first indignant, then laughed. "Dead, am I?" he said, making a few passes at an imaginary antagonist. "I guess my friends wilf find I am very much alive."

He referred to the rumor several times, and it was evident it rankled. "Why, I will fight any man on earth any day in the week, this afternoon preferred, for \$20,000 a side."

Corbett remained in his rooms at the St. Nicholas Hotel today, and spent most of the day lying down. After breakfast he read the papers, devouring every word printed about the fight. Then he lay down and did not rise until a dentist called by appointment to repair the tooth shattered by Fitz-simmons at Carson yesterday.

Jim shows little outward marks of his encounter, but he is weak from the effects of the terrible heart blow, and says he has intermittent shooting pains in his left side. His physician however, says he will suffer no permanent injury, although the shock to both his nervous and physical systems has been severe.

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Corbett was first amused and then annoyed at the report brought over the wires that he was dead. He said he was the liveliest corpse ever en route to a graveyard, and religrated his ability and willingness to fight. Fitzsimmons or any one else this afternoon, tomorrow or any day next week.

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"I don't want to say anything more about the fight." he said to an Associtated Press representative. "Hold on, though. Just say this, will you, that I was beaten fairly and honestly, and that I have no kick coming, no complaints to make. And don't represent me as sick or dying or even ill, for I am not—only chagrined at my carelessness in the fight."

After a good luncheon Corbett lay down and slept soundly for two hours. He was to have given a boxing exhibition this afternoon in the Mechanics' Pavillon and the city had been billed with announcements to this effect on the anticipation of a Corbett victory and a triumphant return to his home. Fitzsimmons—will—appear—in—the—hall instead, but not until tomorrow night.
P. J. Corbett, father of the exchampion, was very anxious to talk about the fight, the result of which he bemoaned. He says Jim will probably leave the prize ring and forego even boxing exhibitions. He wants the exleave the prize ring and forego even boxing exhibitions. He wants the ex-champion to engage in business here champion to engage in business here. The old gentleman took occasion to deny the report that he had lost every cent he possessed on the result of the fight, stating that his losses amounted

'Jim, though, backed himself for a Tim, though, backed himself for a let of money," concluded the father. Corbett says he has as yet no plans for the immediate future, but he still clings to the hope that Fitzsimmons will give him another chance to retrieve his shattered reputation.

WANTED TO WIN.

Corbett Tried to Run a Bluff on

Referee Siler.

IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] CARSON (Nev.,) March 18.-Just be fore the fight an interesting conversa-tion took place in Corbett's dressing-room at the arena between the champ-ion and Referee Siler.

Corbett opened the conversation by

in front of the various newspaper offices to see the bulletins displayed in the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight. In spite of the efforts of the police, the street traffic came to a complete standstill in the two sections of the city where the newspapers are located. Those in the rear of the crowds who could not see the bulletins pressed forward with such force that many were knocked down and trampled on. As a result many were more or less hurt. One man, J. T. Williams, was pushed with such force against a Madison-street cable car that he received internal injuries and was removed to the County Hospital. "George, I want to win this

fight fairly."

"How else do you think that you aregoing to win it, that you make such a remark as that?" asked Siler.

"Oh, I don't mean any reflection on you," rejoined Corbett, "but there are a thousand of my friends from San Francisco at the ringside and they will not stand it to see me lose. If Martin Julian goes to get into that ring he will have the whole top of his head blown off."

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"That means, I suppose," said Siler,
"that if I don't do just right the
whole top of my head will be blown

friends will not stand for me to lose."

"I'll tell you one thing," said Siler,
"and that is the very best that you're
going to get out of this thing will be
an even break. That is all you are entitled to and it is all that Fitzsimmons
has coming to him and he will get just
that and nothing more. It is possible
that I may lose my head and make a
mistake, but I am going to be careful
and I will see that both of you will
get an even break and nothing more."

Corbett again declared that he had
not meant that any attempt would be
made to intimidate the referee, but that
he feared the feelings of his friends
could not be restrained in case they
saw him losing. The end of the fight,
however, was so quick and so decisive
that there was no room for argument friends will not stand for me to lose."

the newspaper offices. By the time Corbett and Fitzsimmons stepped into the ring Fifth avenue in front of the Daily News office was jammed and all traffic stopped. The continued downpour of rain did not make a particle of difference to the men, boys, street gamins and loafers, together with a large number of women.

There was nothing but umbrellas to be seen in Fifth avenue looking down from the second story, and down below there was nothing but shouting to lower the umbrellas while the fight was taking place. Men, women and boys fought for vantage positions.

Anything that could be mounted was eagerly occupied by the small boy, and from his position above the crowd he scanned the bulletins, straining his eyes to make out every word and repeat it to those below him who could see nothing but white pieces of paper and umbrellas.

The cable cars in Madison street that there was no room for argument on the part of the friends of Corbett

DIDN'T HURT THE STATE.

Some of them saw our mines at Vir-ginia City and will talk about them,

and it may result in some eastern peo-le coming here to locate."
"What do you think of prize-fighting is affecting the morals of Nevagans?"

as affecting the morals of Nevagans?"
"I am not a preacher and consequently cannot tell," was the reply,
"Have you any idea how much money
the visitors left in Carson?"
"No; I have made no inquirles. A
good many people were here, and they
have gained some knowledge about the
State and its resources. I believe the
fights held here would be preferable to
the football games played at our State
university and at all the colleges, East
and West.
"So far as the Corbett-Fitzsimmons

CARSON DESERTED.

Nearly All the Sports Have Take

Their Departure.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

CARSON (Nev.,) March 18.—All the special trains left last night, taking home the San Francisco crowd and

most of the eastern people to Reno where they made connection with this morning's trains for Denver and Omaha. The regular trains north and

HEARING THE NEWS.

Traffic Blocked by Morbid Mobs in

their hands full in an endeavor to con-trol the large crowds which assembled

in front of the various newspaper offices

brellas.

The cable cars in Madison street were selzed by the crowd. Twenty-five or more clambered upon the roof of every car and perched there watching the bulletins. The crowds were generally evenly divided and largely impartial.

The announcement of Fitzsimmon's victory over Corbett was listened to in Battery D by 2000 people. The affair was under the charge of "Paddy" Carroll. There was a bag-punching conroll. Gov. Sadler Thinks Nevada Bene-CARSON (Nev.,) March 18 .- "I don't think it has hurt the State," said Gov. Sadler today in discussing the Fitzsim-mons-Corbett fight. "On the contrary, will be a benefit to the western por tion of Nevada by bringing people here who spent some money, and when they go home they will talk about the State.

roll. There was a bag-punching con-test, club swinging and half an hour of buck dancing by four colored persons as a preliminary entertainment

BRITISH INTEREST.

Joy in London. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

LONDON, March 18.—Immens greatest elation followed the announce

ment that Fitzsimmons had won.

The Sportsman says: "Corbett is the victim of his own jealousy and dogmatic policy. He ought to have retired from the ring before being beaten by a man his inferior in everything but pluck and hard hitting.

The Sporting Life says: "Fitzsimmons has fairly and honestly won the title of premier bears of the world. He

title of premier boxer of the world. His actions show that the long delay in deciding this point has been less his fault than some would have us be-

SAN FRANCISCO BETS.

Fights at Carson. (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18 .- At conservative estimate \$125,000 was bet on the three fights in the local poolrooms. The money was won princi-pally by the small bettors, the talent, as a rule, being on the wrong side. The larger portion of the money wa-gered was placed at Corbett's pool-

I understand only one or two arrests were made, but the Sheriff can enlighten you on that subject."

Sheriff Kliney said: "I had thirty men at the ringside, but there was nothing for them to do. The crowd was composed of gentlemen, and there was no disorder. One or two men were arrested on the streets for drunkenness, and we found a few tramps, but men are taken in drunk and tramps sent away when there are no fights here. Only three cases of robbery were reported. One man lost a watch, which was recovered; another a valise that had been taken by mistage, and this morning complaint was made of the loss of \$190 from a boarding-house. We know who took it, and will get him before night. So far as my experience goes, I do not think the fight is a detriment to the community. There was not as much disorder here as there is at any county fair. The shooting affray was between two men from Butte, Mont., who met here, they having had some trouble in Butte about a woman." Frank McLaughlin, who is said to have Frank McLaughlin, who is said to have cleaned up something like \$20,000 over the victory of Fitzsimmons. He has been an ardent supporter of the Cornishman ever since he came to America, and has on several occasions furnished the backing for the red-headed fighter.

The second biggest winner on the

fighter.

The second biggest winner on the fight in San Francisco is Adolph Spreckels. It is reported that he won over \$12,000. Riley Grannan made a good celan up, as he went to Carson especially to back Fitzsimmons and Hawkins, but Ed Purser, the horseman, missed it by going to the fight. He backed Corbett, while his colt, Rey del Tierra practically unbacked, won at the Oakland track at 50 to 1.

STUART SUED.

ages of the Fight Promoter. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

Omaha. The regular trains north and south this morning took away the remaining visitors—those from Nevada towns—and Carson has resumed its normal condition. The majority of the people are glad that the fights were held here, as the visitors left a large amount of money. The hotels, boarding-houses, restaurants, livery stables and gambling-houses got about all of it, but the storekeepers in addition to the profits from the little trade they had, will ultimately receive a large part of it, so they, too, are pleased. The ministers and their congregations are the only ones who feel any chagrin and speak of the "disgrace" brought upon Carson by entertaining a lot of ougilists and their friends and admirers. CARSON (Nev.,) March 18 .- Jame the contestants on the shoot for the silver cup, which is now held by Elli-ott of Kansas City, has entered suit against Dan Stuart for \$500. He claims he was induced to spend money and time in coming to Carson City, and after he arrived, the shoot was declared off Stuart says he declared the shoot off because there were not suffi-

becoming seas of mud

The Chess Tournament.

YORK, March 18.—The twelfth of the Pillsbury-Showalter chess was finished early today. Shogame of the Pillsbury-Showalter chess match was finished early today. Sho-walter won in the thirty-eighth move. Score: Pillsbury, 5; Showalter, 6;

BRADLEY'S PROSPECTS.

from Kentucky. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

and speak of the "disgrace" brought upon Carson by entertaining a lot of pugilists and their friends and admirers.

The fakirs have disappeared, having gone away with the shell men, and the owner of the wheel of fortune, but the gambling-houses are open as usual, having, however, dropped back to their ordinary games. The sports from abroad patronized them night and day, but it is understood did not take home with, them much of their capital.

Charlie White left for San Francisco early this morning, taking with him Corbett's other trainers. Despite the defeat of his man, White was congratulated on all sides for his work in putting the ex-champion into the superb condition in which he entered the ring. White was given free swing in his training, and used his own method with such success that he has taken first rank in his "profession."

"I consider it of the highest importance," he said, in explaining his system, "in getting an accurate opinion of the condition of the man before beginning work, from a first-class physician, Upon that opinion the training must be based, the work being varied to suit the man. The exercise must be begun gradually, the speed and weight of the work being gradually increased up to within a short time before the fight. Then the different exercises must be shifted day by day, so that those in which he is weakest or slowest shall be used at wide intervals, thus bunching the kind of work in which the man shows his best form. As the time for the contest grows near, the boxing should be done at the hour at which the fight is to occur, and great care should be taken in the road work to prevent injury to the wind. In training Corbett I have hammered his face, arms and breast every night with small bags containing a powdered preparation which hardens the skin, and, as could be seen, his skin was not broken at any place. Corbett would certainly have beaten Fitzsimmons if he had practiced his usual ring tactics and stayed away. In-fighting is Fitzsimmons's own game, and that is where he won." and defeat the regular Republican and dereat the regular Republican nominee, ex-Congressman W. G. Hunter. State Senator Parker, who has heretofore been looked on as a strict caucus man, announced in an open card today that he is for Bradley, and that the Governor has enough strength to win.

GROVER REDISCOVERED.

the Ducking Grounds.

TBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE 1 his arrival was unexpected.

A Second Cripple Creek.

DENVER (Colo.,) March 18.—Stages connecting with the Gulf Railroad will begin running next Monday from Vasquez to Red River City, the new mining camp in Northern New Mexico, which is reported as likely to become a second Cripple Creek. Vasquez is the termination of the Catskill branch of the Gulf road, and the distance from there to Red River City is forty-five miles. Assays have been made on ore from Red River City that runs \$130,000 in gold to the ton. Chicago.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

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A ROTTEN OLD CRAFT

LAST VOYAGE OF THE VILLE DE ST. NAZATRRE.

AWFUL FATE OF CASTAWAYS.

OPEN BOAT.

the Corpses of Their Companions Overboard-Hardships Drove Them Insanc.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

Fitzsimmons's Victory Hailed with

front of the newspaper offices, and at various sporting clubs to receive the news of the fight at Carson. The nent that Fitzsimmons had won.

only ersity and at all one colleges, East and West.

"So far as the Corbett-Fitzsimmons contest is concerned, I consider it a fair fight. The hardest hitter won, and I saw nothing brutal. The assembly was an orderly one, and everything was fairly conducted, as far as I know.

"As to Carson, nothing occurred except what was likely to occur at any gathering—a county fair, for instance, There was a little unpleasantness (the Governor meant the shooting affray,) but that did not grow out of the fight. I understand only one or two arrests

in Immense Sum Wagered on the

Disappointed Marksman Asks Dam

Stuart played in great good fortune resterday. Today a gale of fifty miles un hour is driving dense clouds of wet mow through the air, and the roads

Combination to Make Him Senato

LOUISVILLE (Ky.,) March 18.—A special to the Post from Frankfort says: Gov. Bradley has entered the fight for the United States Senatorship. His agents are actively at work and it is asserted with confidence that the free-silver Democrats will combine with the eight or ten Bradley Republicans

The Stuffed Prophet's Return from

PRINCETON (N. J.,) March 18.-Ex-President Cleveland arrived here to-day. He was met at the depot by his private carriage, which took him imme-diately to his new home. A slight rain made the three-mile drive a most dis-mal one. There were no demonstra-tions on the part of the students as tions on the part of the students, as

A Second Cripple Creek.

Depreciated Securities.

AKRON (O.,) March 18.—Samuel J. Ritchie—today brought suit against Judge Stephenson Burke of Cleveland, the executor of the will of Henry B. Payne and Thomas B. Cornell, for \$60—600 damages, claiming that stock in Canadian iron and copper mines which he gave them as collateral for loans had been depreciated in value by a conspiracy between the defendants.

Of Eighty-two Persons Who Went

MANY DAYS ON THE OCEAN IN AN

N7W YORK, March 18 .- Of the eighty-two persons comprising the passen-gers and crew of the steamer Ville de St. Nazairre, which started from this port March 6 for Port au Prince, Hayti, only four are known to have survived the disaster which befell the craft a few hours later. These four passed through an experience such as has fortunately been the lot of but few—seeing one after another of thirty-one others who left the steamer in a large boat perish of exposure to cold and die of hunger, some suffering during the of hunger, some suffering during the days in which they drifted helplessly without sall or compass, pangs that drove them to madness before death came to their relief. Among the survivors is Sefor Tagado, a San Domingan, who was compelled to witness the gan, who was compelled to witness the death of his wife and four children without being able to alleviate their sufferings. What became of the fortyour persons besides those mentioned above, can only be surmised, although above, can only be surmised, atthough there is a remote possibility that one or more of the three boats in which they left the sinking steamer in the midst of a fierce storm off Cape Hat-teras, has been picked up by a sailing

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The Ville de St. Nazairre was a single-screw-rigged steamer of 260 tons register, owned by the Compagne Transatlantique Generale. The accident vividly recalls the fate of the same company's steamer Ville de Havre which went down November 23, 1873, with 226 people on board.

The Ville de St. Nazairre was commanded by Capt. Jaguena, a sailor of experience and ability. Hard weather was experienced from the time the steamer left this port until water began pouring into and over her, when it was determined to abandon her. The passengers and crew took four boats, a fifth having been crushed in an attempt to lower it. There had been no time to provision the boats. It was night, and in the midst of a fierce storm the transfer was made.

Capt. Berri, manager of the West Indian line of the Compagne Transatlantique Generale, was one of thirty-five men who embarked in the larger of the boats, and upon him devolved the command of that frail refuge for so many souls. He, Señor Tagado, Lautz, third engineer, and the ship's doctor, Maire, are the only ones surviving. They were brought to Perth Amboy, N. J., yesterday by the schooner Hilda, which came upon them March 14 as they were drifting at sea with the dead bodies of four of their fellow-passengers. The survivors were almost dead from starvation and exposure, and too weak to relieve their small boat of the weight of the four corpses. The four rescued men were brought to this city from Perth Amboy on the tug Idlewild last night. Capt. Barri is being attended by Dr. L. Deplezze, who entertains doubts of his recovery, and declares that he must have endured most terrible suffering.

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terrible suffering.
On the day following after clearing from New York, according to the story told by one of the survivors, a leak was discovered, but it was not thought was discovered, but it was not thought to be sufficiently serious to warrant a return to port. By the middle of the second day, however, the leak had increased to a dangerous extent and a portion of the cargo on the port side of the vessel was damaged by the water, which had commenced to pour in in great quantities. A terrible storm arose on the night of the second day and the heavy seas, together with the big leak, rendered the escape of the vessel from shipwreck an impossibility. Realizing that the ship was doomed, the captain ordered the four life-boats to be lowered and into them crowded the passengers and crew. The boats were soon swept apart by the wind and waves.

waves.

The boat which was found by the Hilda six days after the sinking of the steamship is the only one of the four that has been heard of. Thirty-five persons, it is said, were crowded into the boat from which the survivors were taken. One by one all but the four rescued men died from exposure or hunger, or were swept into the deep by the waves which broke over the small boat. The bodies of the dozen who died in the boat during the first days of the terrible voyage were thrown overboard by the survivors, but those who withstood the elements and managed to live without food or drink at last became too weak to rid the boat of its ghastly freight and were compelled for days to gaze upon the stiffened corpses of their unfortunate companions.

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Agent Forget of the French line is doing all in his power to make the survivors comfortable.

Capt. Berri is 55 years of age and a trusted employe of the French line. The physician found his patient's throat fearfully parched and his lungs in the same condition. After a careful examination the doctor said that with careful treatment he might recover. It would be over a week, however, before he could take any solid food. The captain's body is covered with bruises from being thrown about the boat while she was on the tempest-lashed sea.

Agent Forget would say but little of the wreck today. He seemed distressed over the catastrophe. He was very emphatic in his declaration that the steamer St. Nazairre, while an old boat, was perfectly seaworthy.

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The Hilda passed in at Sandy Hook at 3:50 p.m., yesterday, and proceeded on her way to Perth Amboy in tow of the tug idlewild, reaching that place about 5:30 p.m. No word of the wreck was given out at Perth Amboy. The tug idlewild having left the Hilda at her dock brought the survivors to the pier of the Compagnie Transatiantique Generale at the foot of Morton street, in this city, a run of about twenty miles, reaching there about 8 o'clock in the evening. The news was at once telegraphed to Mr. Forget, and he made such provision as he could for the comfort of the sufferers. The fact of the disaster was kept from the public for some time, and only became known toward midnight.

Mr. Forget has preserved the utmost reticence on the subject. He said: "I have the greatest sympathy a man can feel for the relatives of those who went down in the wreck. From what I hear the crew of the St. Nazairre acted nobly during the trying time. Capt. Jacenau was an old and faithful employe of this company. On many occasions he has shown his bravery. The storm must have been of extraordinary intensity to have wreeked the lifeboats in the manner it did."

Mr. Forget could not tell when he

would be able to make a formal statement as to the loss of the steamship. Statements would first have to be taken from the four survivors. These would have to be attached to the statement of the agent and forwarded to the French Consul. He in turn would return his findings to the home government.

Engineer Staub and Dr. Mairo have somewhat recovered from the effects of their terrible experience and are able to be, up and around the saloons of the steamer La Normandie, where they have been kept to recuperate. Capt. Berri is at the Hotel Martin. Both engineers were very reticent in balking about the loss of the St. Nazalrre. They stated that it was not true that the occupants of the frail bark had been without food. They still had plenty of food when they were picked up by the Hilds. Both admitted, however, that they suffered torments from lack of water.

Engineer Staub stated that there was no unseemly haste in taking to the boats. The women and children were first sent overboard, and the other passengers followed. Then the officers and crew took what places remained. Through his physician Capt. Berri sald: "The supply of food on the small boat was exhausted the first day, and then began the awful struggle, in which thirty-one of the thirty-five persons in the boat perished. Mrs. Tegage and her four children were the first to succumb. The water gave out, and only a few buiscuits remained. The men were choked in swallowing the drank self water. Those who com-

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menced to drink the brine could
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came maniacs and died in convulsions. Others, who resisted the temptation to drink salt water, could not resist the privations, and died of hunger. "Those who remained had not strength enough to move, and when the boat was picked up there were four of the dead with the living. I did everything I could to induce the unfortunate people to keep from drinking salt water, and to set themselves to fight death, but what I said had little effect.

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"The Villa de Bresl of the French line of steamers which leaves for West India ports tomorrow, will sail over the route taken by the St. Nazairre, and will keep a sharp lookout for the missing boats."

There have been many shipwrecks near where the St. Nazairre went down. It is but a few years since the Spanish steamer Viscaya was sunk off Hatteras by the schooner Cornelius Harkraves, resulting in the drowning of sixty-nine persons. The Evening Star foundered there in 1885 and 254 persons were drowned; the sloop-of-war Bain-bridge, in a cyclone in 1863, went down

sixty-nine persons. The Evening Star foundered there in 1886 and 254 persons were drowned; the sloop-of-war Bain-bridge, in a cyclone in 1863, went down off the tempestuous spot, and a colored cook was picked up a day or two after on a bit of wreckage, and told of the loss of every one of his shipmates.

The Central American, bound to this city from Asoinwall, was wrecked off the cape on September 21, 1857, and 450 persons perished, a total of \$2,000,000 in gold belonging to returning miners going down with the vessel.

There have been many expeditions to find the money. Capt. Fouch, one of the officials of the French line, said today that if either of the other boats lived through the storm it probably would be at this time near Chesapeake Bay.

The St. Nazairre was valued at \$50,000, and she carried \$25,000 in gold. Agent Forget said he did not know whether

BURNED IN MID-OCEAN.

Narrow Escape of the Crew of Freight Steamer. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

ine steamer Carthagenian, which ar rived this morning from Glasgow, res-cued the crew of the Wilson line steamer Rialto, which took fire and was abandoned March 5 in lat. 21 deg. 35 min. and long. 22 deg. 4 min.

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The Rialto was bound from Newcastle for this port, loaded with a general cargo, including a large quantity of chemicals. At 6 a.m. March 3, while a hurricane was blowing, an explosion in the forehold blew the hatch covers into the air and killed one seaman and injured the chief mate. Dense columns of smoke poured out of the hatch. The crew started the pumps, but meanwhile the ship was wollowing in mountainous seas and occasionally burying herself. The lifeboats were smashed by the seas, and the crew worked with desperate energy, but the fire gained headway steadily, until at 2 o'clock in the afternoon the Carthagenian was sighted and promised to stand by until the weather moderated. The crew did not relax their efforts to subdue the fire. For moderated. The crew did not relax their efforts to subdue the fire. For forty hours the Allan line steamer stood by and when the weather moderated enough to make it possible for the life-boat to live, Capt. France of the Car-thagenian ordered his boats manned, and the entire crew were taken off. and the entire crew were taken off.

The Rialto was built in 1878 at Hull,
and was owned by the Thomas Wibons & Sons Company.

JAPS IN TROUBLE. Hawaiian Authorities Refuse to Al low Immigrants to Land. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO March 18.—The following advices from Honolulu were brought by the steamship Australia: Serious trouble is anticipated here Japanese laborers, brought here by the

Lapanese laborers, brought here by the Robe Immigration Company's steamship Shin Shul Maru. The local agents of the Japanese company have been placed under arrest, charged with a violation of the immigration laws, and Capt. Mishakama, commander of the steamship, has been refused clearance papers unless he agrees to take back to Japan the rejected immigrants, who have been detained at the quarantine station since their arrival in port.

The rejected Japanese threaten open revoit, and they have the sympathy of the entire Japanese population of the island. The matter has been carried into the courts, and if the Japanese fail to find relief there, they will probably appeal to their Consul to interfere. In case the Consul does interfere trouble is sure to follow. The customs authorities are sure that they have unearthed a gigantic attempt to import Japanese into this country in violation of the immigration laws, and they propose to make it so warm for the schemers that they will not dare attempt it again.

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The feeling runs equally strong among the Angio-Saxons of Honolulu. There is a diversion of opinion on the rights of the present lot of immigrants to remain on the islands. While the bulk of the people are not informed on the law touching immigration of Japanese into Hawaii, either free or contract, still the belief is current that there is a detect in the statutes.

The men placed under arrest were: W. J. Gallagher, agent, and B. Humizee, president of the Kobe Immigration Company. By reason of their prominence both men were released on their own recognizance.

At present the affair stands in statu quo, pending the action of the courts.

PEARL BRYAN'S MURDERERS MAKE A CONFESSION.

Jackson and Walling Sign a Joint Statement Implicating Dr. Wag-ner in the Crime.

CONTRADICT FORMER STORIES.

PROBABLY A BLUFF TO INFLUENCE

The Story Generally Discredited and the Prisoners

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
FRANKFORT (Ky.,) March 18.—As a last desperate resort to extort a respite from Gov. Bradley, or a commutation of sentence of himself and Alonzo M. Walling, Scott Jackson has made another so-called confession, and Walling has signed it. Upon their arrest one year and six weeks ago each confessed that the other committed the murder Each has been in the confession busi

Now, for the first time, comes a con fession prepared by Scott Jackson in the Alexandria jail and signed also by Walling, to be sent to Gov. Bradley. The confession is now in his hands. It is voluminous, somewhat evasive an not a little foggy. It justifies the gen-eral exclamation, "Who will believe it?" which was heard everywhere on the streets today when the announcement was made that a confession had been obtained.

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ment was made that a confession had been obtained.

It was secured for a big money consideration, the proceeds to go to the mothers of the condemned men. Its distinguishing characteristic is that it contradicts in almost every particular the theory of the defense in the long trials of each of these men.

During the trial witnesses were brought from Bellevue, a village just above Newport, to prove that Jackson, Walling and Pearl Bryan were seen in that village about aboon on the Thursday before the murder. The defense attacked the veracity of John Foster, one of the witnesses, and tried to show that Druggist Dortmeyer, a second witness, had told contradictory stories about seeing the murderers and their victim. Now, in this confession, the scene of the immediate preliminaries to the murder is transferred to Bellevue, Ky., on Wednesday and Thursday nights, January 29 and 30, 1896. Dr. Wagner of Bellevue, Ky. is involved in the murder by the confession.

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It took Scott Jackson the whole of one afternoon and night to write it. To any one who has read carefully Gov. Bradley's statement of his reasons for refusing respite or commutation of sentence it will be at once apparent that one purpose of this confession is to give him the possible ground for favorable action that was lacking in former applications.

Meantime advices from Newport are that the scaffold and ropes for the hanging are in readiness. News from Alexandria, where the prisoners are confined, is that the announcement that the new confession has caused great excitement in Campbell and adjacent counties in Kentucky; that it has brought people from the country to the towns in no genial mood, and while the prisoners would be in nodanger from the citizens of Alexandria, yet there is no knowing what violent result might follow a commutation of the sentences of Jackson and Walling, unless the grounds for it should be better than any one believes it is possible for them to furnish.

Fred Bryan and other relatives of the murdered girl will be in Cincinnati tomorrow. The prisoner will be removed to the Newport jail tomorrow night, and by noon tomorrow a company of militia will be on the ground to guard Newport jail. It is not believed here at midnight that Gov. Bradley will interfere further.

HOW THE DEED WAS DONE.

FRANKFORT (Ky.,) March 18.—The confession of Scott Jackson and Alonzo

FRANKFORT (Ky.,) March 18.-Th confession of Scott Jackson and Alonzo Walling was tonight presented to Gov. Bradley by Special Messengers Wade, Ellis and Allison. The confession says Dr. Wagner administered the medicine in attempting to perform an abortion, under which Pearl Bywan dided. under which Pearl Bryan died, and that Scott Jackson held her across his lap while Wagner cut her head off, after which Dr. Wagner wrapped the head in a cloak and took it home. Afterward he became insane. They do not know, they say, where the head was taken.

MAKING THE MOST OF IT. CINCINNATI March 18.—Local newspapers have issued extra editions since noon, stating that Jackson and Walling have confessed that Dr. Wagner of Bellevue, Ky., assisted them; ner of Hellevue. Ky., assisted them; that Pearl Bryan was taken to Dr. Wagner's residence Wednesday night, was murdered the following Friday night, and after the murder Dr. Wagner was confined in Lexington Asylum. Dr. Wagner has a wife and two daughters. One daughter frequently called on Jackson at the fall.

THE ENQUIRER'S SCOOP. CINCINNATI, March 18. - The Enquirer announces this morning that it will print in tomorrow's issue a full confession of the murder of Pearl Bryan by Scott Jackson and Alonzo Walling,

WHO'LL BELIEVE IT? signed by the murderers, who are now awaiting execution on Saturday. It also states that it will contain an account of the disposal of the girl's head.

TORNADO IN TEXAS.

It Does Widespread Damage Country and Cities. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

DALLAS (Tex.,) March 18.—A severe wind storm passed over the State between 8 and 9 o'clock tonight. At Plano, a few miles north of here, the storm leveled the sheds of the Cotton Beit Railroad, blew over freight cars and unroofed several residences. A number of persons were injured.

At Hutchinson, fences, trees and outbuildings were blown over. Considerable damage was done by the storm in the vicinity of Itasca, Hill county. Telegraph wires and telephone wires were blown down in all directions and for that reason it is impossible to learn the extent of the damage. Rain has been falling intermittently for four days and still continues. The storm is thought to have been severe in remote portions of the State, where telegraphic communication tonight is interrupted.

terrupted.

Denison reports that a terrific tornado accompanied by heavy rain and hail struck the city about 9 o'clock tonight and caused many thousands of dollars worth of damage, houses having been blown off their foundations and some demolished.

THEY WANT A CHANGE

ARIZONA LEGISLATORS GO" FOR

Assembly Passes a Resolution Recommending His Immediate Removal—Stormy Scenes Attend the Closing of the Session.

IBY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.1

PHOENIX (Ariz.) March 18.—[Special Dispatch.] Exciting scenes attended the closing of the Nineteenth Legislature. The clocks were stopped and held back the advent of 12 o'clock of the last day. This was done pending the return of a special message to Gov. Franklin. asking that he pass in some manner on the bills exempting canals and reservoirs from taxation. Word was returned that 12 o'clock having arrived, the message could not be acted upon. This resulted in pocket-vetoing the measures. As the bills vetoing the measures. As the bills were very meritorious, the House was extremely wrathy. By a viva voce yote no one dissenting, the following resolu-

tion was passed: tion was passed:
"Resolved by the Assembly the Council concurring, that it is the sense of this Legislature that the interest of the Territory will be best served by an immediate change in the Government." rnor."

Democratic politicians are protest-

ing that this move on the part of a House almost totally Democratic was "bad politics." The Council refused to concur and Indorsed the Governor, As-

WINDING UP BUSINESS.

ast Day of the Arizona Legislative Session.
[EY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
PHOENIX (Ariz.) March 18.—The Legislature today passed a memorial to Congress protesting strongly against the passage of the bill now before Con-

gress segregating from Arizona the por-tion north of the Grand Cafion of the Colorado, affirming it to be integrally a tion north of the Grand Canon of the Colorado, affirming it to be integrally a part of the Territory.

Among the bills passed and signed by the Governor are: Compelling railroads to carry bicycles as baggage; for the appointment of a joint commission to confer with other States on uniformity of laws; instructing the Treasurer of Pima county to destroy illegal bonds of the county of Pima; punishing Territorial and county officers for drunkenness; making it a misdemeanor to wear without privilege the insignia of the Grand Army of the Republic; granting reduction works five years' tax exemption; giving water-storage enterprises ten years' tax redemption.

The Freight Bill was killed, also bills for abelishing black-listing, and for the arbitration of labor disputes. Female suffrage is allowed the city of Prescott.

This is the last day of the Legislature, and the body is in session at a late hour this evening. All the appropriation bills have been passed, and the last hours are being devoted to a squabble over the Territorial salaries of the United States Judges.

European Stock Markets.

Miss Straszaker identified.

CHICAGO, March 18.—G. O. Borstede of St. Louis has arrived in Chicago and identified the body of the young woman who shot and killed herself Tuesday night at No. 304 Chicago avenue as that of his cousin, Miss Mabel Straszaker. Mr. Borstede went immediately from the depot to Rolston's undertaking rooms and, after looking at the remains, said they were those of his cousin. He could give no reason why she should have killed herself.

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BLOCKADE OF CRETE

ITS ENFORCEMENT TO BEGIN SUNDAY MORNING.

Commons,

GLADSTONE PRAISES GREECE

HE WRITES A PAMPHLET ON THE EASTERN QUESTION.

Greek Supply Ship Fired Upon at-Greeks Ordered to

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

LONDON, March 18.-Mr. Balfour First Lord of the Treasury and gov ernment leader in the House of Com mons, replying today to Sir Charles Dilke, advanced Radical, said that the notification of the blockade of the Isl He added that it was incorrect to say that Germany had declined to em-ploy a land force to operate in the interior of the island. He did not know, however, whether Germany had dis patched any troops to Crete.

John Morley, Liberal, asked if it was

rue as stated by M. Hanotaux, French Minister of Foreign Affairs, in the Chamber of Deputies, that Greece had been again invited to comply with the decision of the powers and in the event of her refusal the threat of coercion would be carried out.

An exciting scene followed, Mr. Bal-four, firing up amid great cheering from the ministerial benches, said in substance that the leaders of the oposition were constantly trying to em

position were constantly trying to embarrass the government by questions and speeches in and out of the House. Thereupon Sir William Vernon Harcourt, the Liberal leader, reminded Mr. Balfour that the Marquis of Salisbury had referred the House to the speeches on the Cretan question made by M. Meline and M. Hanotaux in the Chamber of Deputies, and had not given the House any information for themselves. Sir William reiterated Mr. Morley's question which brought further cheers from the opposition benches.

Mr. Balfour, in reply, told Sir William to get his friends in the House of Lords to ask the Premier for an explanation. Continuing, he said: "If the opposition wish to move a vote of censure let them name their day. We are quite ready for the debate." [Applause from the government supporters.]

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The incident was then closed.

The badgering of Mr. Balfour caused much excitement, the opposition evidently making the most of the statement of the Marquis of Salisbury the other day when he referred to the speeches of M. Meline and M. Hanotaux. Mr. Morley began by saying sarcastically: "We have been referred by Lord Salisbury to these speeches, whether in the words of M. Meline, Greece has again been invited to accede to the note of the powers."

This probably irritated Mr. Balfour, whose irritation grew as Mr. Morley, Sir Charles Dilke and others pressed him, each side vigorously cheering. The excitement was intense when Sir William Harcourt arose and said: "Perhaps before we move a vote of consure we must ask if we should be allowed to debate it."

This reference to yesterday's closing of a clause to the Education Bill was received with loud opposition cheers. "I must ask again," continued Sir William, amid the cries of "Order," "as the only information which has been given the House and country is in the speeches of Hanotaux and Meline what the words, "Then Crete would be blocked' in M. Meline's statement mean." [Cries of "Order."]

Mr. Balfour, who was then at a white heat with irritation, answered the questions as given out.

It is understood in the lobbies of the House of Commons that Sir William Harcourt will Sunday next, but the situation is very puzzling. Sir William Harcourt tried to obtain light on the subject. Mr. Balfour refused to be drawn into any definite statement on the subject.

BLOCKADE OF THE ISLAND.

One Greek Warship Refuses Leave Cretan Waters.

CANEA, March 18.-The admirals of the foreign fleets in these waters have telegraphed to their respective embas sadors at Constantinople notifying them of the blockade of the Island of Crete. Warships will be sent to tour island and give the mayors of the chief ports copies of the proclamation of autonomy, and the announcement of the blockade. It is understood that the the blockade. It is understood that the admirals will compel the Greek Warship Pinior to leave the Cretan waters tomorrow. Col. Vassos is gathering great quantities of provisions together at his new camp at Sphakia, situated in one of the mountainous and inaccessible portions of the island. The Greek commander is showing no signs of any intention of evacuating the island, and consequently it is believed he has received orders to remain in occupation in spite of the opposition of the powers.

EARLY DECLARATION OF WAR.

Popular Opinion in Greece Impera

tively Demands It.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] LONDON, March 18.—Popular opinion in Greece, says the Times correspondent at Athens, imperatively demands an early declaration of war with Turkey. The idea is that Europe would then be compelled to adopt a neutral attitude. It is agreed that the Greek fleet could be consider the islands in the Account conquer the islands in the Aegean Sea including Samar, while the Greek army

conquer the islands in the Aegean Sea, including Samar, while the Greek army, assisted by insurgent bands, could rapidly overrum Macedonia.

It is suggested that as the conditions in Crete do not give sufficient pretext for a declaration of war, a more valid excuse can be found in the refusal of Turkey to concede to Greece the territory assigned her in the Berlin convention. The boundary line as specified in the Berlin treaty, started at the mouth of the Kalamo River, opposite the island of Corfu, and this would have included in Grecian territory Janina and the town of Moezovo. But the powers failed to enforce the convention, and Greece, despite her protest, was obliged to accept the present frontier, mich was ratified at Constantinople in the convention and Greece has legitimate grounds of complaint against the great powers and Turkey, and it is thought by good judges of Greek policy at Athens that if the boundary fixed by the conference were conceded, Greece would willingly abandon her pretensions in Crete. At

present, however, the powers do not seem in a mood to negotiate.

The Greek Vice-Consuls at Retimo and Candia have informed the government that the telegraphic offices refuse to transmit their cipher dispatches to the government, or deliver telegrams sent by the government. Whatever justification there may be for this step of censorship of press telegrams, which it is reported the admirals have consented to take at Candia, it is an ominous retrograde accompaniment to the proclamation of autonomous government.

ernment.

It is announced from a Greek source that Lord Salisbury has suggested to the powers that each should contribute £10,000 toward the expense of establishing autonomy in Crete.

A dispatch to the Times from Canea says the admirals have accepted the British Consul's proposition to amend the autonomy proclamation by adding: "While remaining under the suzerainty of the Sultan, Cretans will be free of all control of the Porte in any international affairs of the island."

STARTLING RUMORS.

Col. Vassos to Oppose the Landing of Greek Troops. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

ATHENS, March 18.—According persistent rumors circulating here, C Vassos, commander of the Greek army of occupation, has been ordered to opoose the landing of the foreign troops now on the way to Crete. This, nowever, may mean only formal opposition, as a protest against the action

sition as a protest against the action of the powers.

Advices from Arta, on the Greek frontier show that the privations of the Turks there are so great that some are deserting to Greek camps. Turks at Prevesa Epirus are arming in consequence of a conflict provoked by Greek soldiers, belonging to the garrison at Actium. Turkish troops are occupying several posts on the Servian frontier. Batteries at Arta are being constructed under the directions and plans of German officers. It is reported in military circles, that Russia is about to land troops on the coast of Macedonia. News that Servian army reserves are being mobilized is causing great anxiety to the Turkish military authorities at Salonica.

BEGINNING OF THE BLOCKADE. All Greek Ships Must Clear Before

Sunday Morning. IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] ROME, March 18 .- A dispatch fro Canea announced that the blockade of Crete will begin Sunday morning, and addressed to the governments at Athens and Constantinople. It is further stated that the powers will also communicate the steps staken to the government of neutral states. The limits of the blockade will be between long, 23 deg. 4 min. and 26 deg. 30 min. east, and lat. 25 deg. 48 min. and 34 deg. 25 min. north. The blockade will be general against deck vessels, but other ships will be allowed to land goods, provided they are not destined for Greek troops or for the interior of the island. Finally the admirals have caused a request to be addressed to the Greek officials to recall her ships from Cretan waters. Iff she does not comply, force will be used Sunday morning to compel them to withdraw.

A SIX-HOURS' BATTLE.

Iwo Thousand Men Engaged in the

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.) ATHENS, March 18.—The official re-port of the fighting yesterday outside f Candia shows that the insurgents atfaracha to Armyro about four miles west of Candia. Reinforcements were ent as they were needed until eleven companies of regulars and seven comcompanies of regulars and seven com-panies of temporary enrolled gendar-merfe had gone to the front. Alto-gether 2000 men were engaged in the conflict, which lasted six hours. The losses of the insurgents are unknown. The fighting on Wednesday outside Retimo was provoked by the Moham-medans. Both the insurgents and Mo-hammedans had five killed and many wounded. Fighting was continued to-day at the village of Monastir.

PREPARED FOR THE WORST. Greece Backed Against a Wall Awaiting Trouble.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] LONDON, March 18.—The Athens correspondent of the Daily Chronicle leclares that Greece has set her back against the wall and is prepared for the worst. The Chronicle correspond-ent, who is Henry Norman, says this opinion sums up the result of his visit to the frontier, and adds: "The Greek feet, which I visited yesterday and whose present whereabouts are unknown to the foreign legation, are watching the Turkish tarpedo-boats off one of the northern islands. I should advise the German warship Kalserin Augustin to avoid this fleet which is eagerly awaiting her."

GREECE NOTIFIED.

The Blockade of Crete to Begin Next

Sunday Morning.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
ATHENS, March 18.—In the this afternoon M. Skouzes, the Greek Minister of Foreign Affairs, announced that the foreign admirals had pro-claimed a blockade of Crete to begin next Sunday morning at 8 o'clock. Under its terms no Greek vessel will be allowed to enter Cretan ports. The vessels of other nations must obtain permission from the admirals.

Midnight—All vessels may be searched by the combined fleets. The admirals expect that Greek ships in admirals expect that Greek ships in Cretan waters will receive an order from the Greek government to withdraw before the blockade commences, under the penalty of being made to withdraw by force. The Cabinet is still sitting to discuss the situation.

A dispatch from Canea this evening says that the admirals have not yet announced the blockade of the island.

A Greek Vessel Sunk by an Austrian

Warship.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] CANEA, March 18.—The Austrian gunboat Zebenico fired upon and sunk near Candia, a Greek vessel loaded with provisions and munitions intended for provisions and munitions intended for the Greek force in Crete. The Zebenico, while watching Greek ships, was fired upon by insurgents. The Austrian war ship replied by sinking the Greek craft and driving off the insurgents. It is feared this news will greatly irritate the populace in Athens and have inuence in precipitating the crisis the powers are striving in every way possible to avoid.

THE GRAND OLD MAN.

Gladstone Writes a Pamphlet on the

Cretan Question.

[BY ASSCCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

LONDON, March 18.—There will be published tomorrow by John Murray a sixteen-page pamphlet in the form of a letter from W. E. Gladstone, dated Cannes, March 13, to the Duke of Westminster. It furnishes remarkable with the companion of the companion

minster. It furnishes remarkable evidence of Gladstone's mental activity. The letter begins:
"My ambition is for rest and peace

alone, but every grain of sand is part of the seashore, and connected as I have been for nearly half a century with the eastern question, that inclination does not suffice to justify silence."

The leter then proceeds to review the incidents in the East from the beginnig of the Armenian massacres, and unsporingly arraigns the powers. Referring to h is attempt in 1880 to establish the court of Europe, Mr. Gladstone says:

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"We soon discovered that for several of the powers concert came to have a significance totally at variance with that which we attached to it, and included, too, demonstrations which might be made under the conditions that they should not pass into reality.

"At present the powers have no common purpose to bring them together. What is worse than all this pretended and ineffectual cooperation, if the governments shut out the people? It is from that mission we are now suffering. It is time to speak with freedom. At this moment two great States are under the government of two young men, one wholly without knowledge and experience, in truth limited enough, as to have excited astonishment and consternation when an inkling of them was given to the world. These, so far as their sentiments are known, are using their power in the concert to fight steadily against freedom. Why are we to have our governments pinned to their aprons? On the heels of this concert we have pledged for two years, and with all the pretensions of power, it has, has worsened and has not betered the situation.

"Surely it is time to shake off the incubus. Why should not Crete be au-

tered the situation.

"Surely it is time to shake off the incubus. Why should not Crete be autonomous, united with Greece? Yet it is undetached in theory from Turkey as Bosnia and Hezegovinia. Greece by her bold action has conferred a great service in Europe and has made it impossible to falter with this question as we have faltered with the bloodstained question of Armenia. She has extricated it from the meshes of diplomacy and has placed it on the order of the day for a definite solution. I remember no case in which so small a State has conferred so great a benefit."

To Pass the Dardanelles.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 18.—Officials of the Russian embassy here have notified the Turkish government that a Russian transport having on board troops intended to form the contingent of Russia for the occupation of the island of Crete will shortly pass through the Dardanelles. The embassies of the other powers have not raised any objection to this, although by treaty the straits are closed to the warships of England. Large numbers of the Greek army reserves and other the Greek army reserves and volunteers are leaving for Athens.

Assignment of Troops.

CANEA, March 18.—The foreign troops which are to constitute the occupying forces of the powers, have been located as follows The French will occupy Sitia and Spinalongs; the British, Candia; the Russians, Retimo; the Germans, Canea and Suda Bay. The Russian commander already has notified the Governor of Retimo of his intention to land 300 troops.

Turkish Troops Unpaid.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 18.—The Imperial Ottoman Bank advanced only at the last moment the £60,000 required by the Porte for military expenses. The misery of the Turkish troops is intense. Their wages have not been paid for the last nine months and many officers are selling their arms and uniforms to get food.

Fighting at Gazi.

ATHENS, March 18. — There was fighting yesterday at the village of Gazi, outside Canea. The Turks were repulsed and six killed and thirty wounded. The law courts of Canea have been pillaged, the pillagers carrying off documents worth hundreds of thousands of drachmas to the Christians.

Turks on the Frontier.

NEW YORK, March 18.—A dispatch from Salonica to the Herald says: "It is officially stated that 114 battalions of Turkish infantry, 104 batteries of artil-lery and six regiments of cavalry, ap-proximately 100,000 men, are now dis-tributed along the Greek frontier."

A Bad Appointment.

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BEYROUT, March 18.—A great sensation has been raised here by the appointment of Maxim Pasha as vall.

Maxim Pasha was the Minister of Police during the massacre of the Armenians at Constantinople. His appointment is the sign that the police policy of the Sultan is to be continued.

Vassos Ordered to Vamose

CANEA March 18.—A number of French and Italian officers, were sent today to the camp of Col. Vassos to demand that his troops embark to leave the island within thirty-six hours. The officers have not returned at well. officers have not returned at mid-

A Crime Against Civilization ATHENS, March 18.—The official announcement of the blockade of Crete did not produce much of a display of feeling. The sinking of the Greek vesfeeling. The sinking of the Greek ves-sel by the Zebnico on the other hand, is denounced with indignation as a crime committed by a civilized state.

Turks Attacked.

LCNDON, March 18.—Official dispatches received here from Crete say the Cretan insurgents attacked the Turkish position at Sitia yesterday. The French and British warships each fired a chot, whereupon the Cretans retired.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 18.— Four torpedo-boats and four destroyers have started to pass the Dardanelles.

A Job for Henri d'Orleans, PARIS, March 18.—It is reported that Prince Henry of Orleans will be offered the position of Governor of Crete.

CANEA, March 18.—There were sharp engagements between the Turks and Cretans this morning outside of Retimo.

WHITE CAPPERS TURBULENT. an Order to Jail Murderers Stirs Up

Their Friends.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] KNOXVILLE (Tenn.,) March 18.— Sevier county, the scene of many re-cent "white-cappings," is in a state of excitement. Yesterday the grand jury returned indictments against three m charging them with the murder of Wil-liam Whaley and wife two months ago. The Judge ordered the men who are members of a white-cap gang, sent to made to release the prisoners tonight. made to release the prisoners tonight. The wires between here and Sevierville were cut in several placs, so nothing can be learned except by courier. The United States mall messenger arrived today, and says that the citizens are in arms and there will be blood-shed before morning. The Sheriff and a strong guard are around the jail.

Turning Americans Loose. HAVANA, March 18.—Louis Day, an American who was arrested at Reglalast December and confined in the Cabanas prison, has been set at liberty and expelled from the island. Charles Scott, the American, and Esteban Venero, a naturalized American, have been ordered set at liberty.

the Reichstag.
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BERLIN, March 18 .- The debate in BERLIN, March 18.—The debate in the Reichstag on the naval estimates began today. Dr. Lieber (Clerical.) chairman of the committee, during a speech lasting several hours, explained the course pursued by the committee. Prince Hohenlohe, Imperial Chancellor, declared that the necessity Germany would have for a fleet was generally recognized, adding that a display of power was a first condition for the development of trade, and was necessary to make sure that no one should find it to make sure that no one should find it an easy task to disturb the country's

"The growth of other fleets," he said, "is additional ground to build ships. The fleet does not reach modern re-quirements and the quicker we reach our goal the greater weight we shall be able to place in this country for pre-serving peace."

The Minister of Foreign Affairs,

Baron Marschal von Bieberstein, urged the necessity of a strong fleet of cruis-ers, and said in this sense Germany must pursue a world-wide policy. "We took part in the action of other powers in preserving order and maintaining the peace of Europe, but where shall we find additional cruisers to send there if the situation does not improve shortly?"

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The Secretary of the Navy said: "Even in home waters Germany needs "Even in home waters Germany needs a large feet of ironclads, cruisers and torpedo-boats, all made of good material, otherwise she can effect nothing." Count von Cardorff (Conservative,) urged that the demand of the navy be immediately granted, and he said France was making for both army and navy, big improvements.

Herr Mueller (Centrist,) recalled the opinion of Prince Bismarck that Germany must rely on her land forces. The Center party, he said, had voted all that was necessary, and a halt in the building of ships must be made somewhere. As it was, a loan of 80,000,000 marks was necessary for the navy.

Herr Werner (anti-Semite,) admitted that the demands of the navy were justified, but he urged a slower pace. The anti-Semites were willing to vote for the cruiser when the time came. The discussion was then adjourned.

RUSSIAN STUDENTS ARRESTED.

Gave Offense by Paying Homage to a Martyred Agitator.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

LONDON, March 18.—A dispatch to the London Times from St. Petersburg says that over a thousand students of the university and other institutions have been arrested at the doors of the Cathedral of Our Lady of Kasan. They were endeavoring to attend prayers said for the soul of a girl student named Vitroff, who, it is alleged, set fire to her blanket and burned herself to death in her prison cell to escape the insults and violence of a prison official. She had been imprisoned since December on the charge of being a political agitator. have been arrested at the doors of the

INNOCENT OLD ENGLAND.

of the Guns, but Did not Know Too Much. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

LONDON, March 18.—Secretary of State for the Colonies Chamberlain, answering a question on the subject in the House of Commons, said the gov-ernment was fully aware that large importations of warlike stores been made by the government of the Transvaal, but, he added, they were not aware that any breach of international law had been committed.

LONDON, March 18.—The Lancet says that rumors of the ill-health of the Czar from cerebral symptoms are unfounded, adding that His Majesty goes out daily and runs five furlongs watching to see if he can do the distance in his average time. The recent illness of the Czarina the Lancet continues was not of so serious a nature tinues, was not of so serious a nature as commonly supposed. Her accouch-ing is expected in April.

More Trouble for Spain.

BARCELONIA, March 19.-The Catalonian committee issued a manifesto demanding autonomy similar to the scheme proposed in the case of Cuba, for Catalonians. The authorities are taking precautions in view of the possibility of an outbreak in Catalonia.

Bloody Battle in Uruguay MONTEVIDEO, March 18 .- A battle between the federal troops and the revolutionists took place yesterday near Paysandu. Upward of two thousand were killed or wounded.

It is not yet reported which force was victorious. LONDON, March 18.—It was announced this evening that June 20 has definitely been fixed upon for the jubilee thanksgiving day for the celebration of the sixtleth year of the reign of Queen Victoria. June 22 will be a bank holiday.

Dutch Steamer's Wreckage. BREST, March 18 .- Wreckage marked "Utrecht" has been washed up along the coast for several days past. It is thought to have come from the Dutch vessel Utrecht, which, it is believed, has

LONDON, March 18.—A dispatch to the Times from Cape Town says it is reported that during the conference last week between President Kruger and Presiden Stepn at Bloomfontein, it was resolved to form a federal union between the South African Republic

A Bulgarian Cabinet Crisis. SOFIA, March 18.—It is rumored that a Cabinet crisis is in progress, and that M. Ziloff has been intrusted with the task of reforming the min-

WILSON GAVE WAY TO GRANT. Interesting Anecdote of the Next Secretary of Agriculture.

The Washington correspondent of the Baltimore News tells the following story of the retirement of James Wilson, the next Secretary of Agriculture, from Congress:
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from Congress:

Mr. Wilson's exit from Congress was dramatic. It was at the close of the forty-eighth Congress, the first in a which Mr. Carlisle was Speaker. His seat was contested by a man named Frederick. The contest, which had been postponed until the last day of the session, was a question of the high-lest privilege, and was blocking the way of all other legislation. Among the bills thus held up was one restoring ex-President Grant to the army with the full rank of general. The contest was in such shape that unless one side or the other gave way there was absolutely no prospect for the passage of this measure. It was then that Mr. Wilson rose and called upon his friends to cease opposition to taking a vote, which he knew would result in unseating himself and seating Mr. Fredrick, whom neither he nor any other Republican in the House believed had been elected. Mr. Wilson said that he had no desire to bar the way to the passage of the measure restoring the old commander, who was then dying of cancer, to his former position in the army. Republican opposition gave way. Mr.

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The "Ring Finger." The "Ring Finger."

[New York Tribune:] The most protected and least active finger has been the one selected, from very early times, as the one for the wedding ring. It is a finger that is always attended and shielded by another in all its movements. Macrobius, a Latin writer of the fifteenth century, acknowledges these as the chief reasons for its selection as the wedding-ring finger and adds that all the other fingers had been tried. Rings, particularly those with gems, were more protected upon the "ring finger," as the Germans named it, than upon any other.

[Harres's Round Table:] "Well, lit-

[Harper's Round Table:] "Well, lit-tle chap," said the stranger in the fam-ily, picking up one of the children, "what are you going to be when you're a man?"

man?"
"Nuffin'," said the child.
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WOMEN OF NOTE.

Mrs. Rose Hawthorne Lathrop has been very ill in Boston of pneumonia, the result of overwork and exposure in her labors among the poor.

Miss Minnie F. Clay has been appointed captain of a steamer on Lake Sebago, Me. She passed the examination for pilot and navigator. tion for pilot and navigator.

Mrs. Lucinda Penn Fisher, a direct descendant of William Penn, is living in Buffalo, and at the age of 80 is dependent upon charity for her support.

Mrs. Stanton Blatch is delivering a course of lectures at Vassar College on "Industrial Economics." The first of the series was highly praised.

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Melba has \$100,000 invested in gowns, it is said, one of them having cost \$15,000. Though \$15,000 is a good deal for a single dress, it is worth while to note that the wearer earned it herself.

Mrs. Lucretia Estey died at Head of the Bay, Rockland, Me., at the age of 101 and left to the nurse who had cared for her during her last illness a jar of butter which she had had in her trunk for twenty-seven years.

Sarah Thomas, a lively woman, 100

Sarah Thomas, a lively woman, 100 years old, in Wales, possesses all her faculties but is a dangerous somnambulist. The Princess of Wales annually sends her on her birthday as many shillings as she has lived years.

Sarah Jane Shartzer who went to Oregon by ox team in 1847, recently died at McMinnville at the age of 85. She was married twice, her first husband having been E. M. Adams of Frankfort, N. J., her native place. Dr. Lydia Rabinovitch, a Russian Hebrew lady, has taken charge of the new bacteriological laboratory in the Woman's Medical College, Philadelphia, Dr. Rabinovitch pursued the course of study at Prof. Koch's laboratory in Berlin.

Berlin.

The Queen of Portugal perseveres in her medical vocation She goes regularly to the dispensary for children that she founded. On arriving she dons a nurse's uniform and proceeds to work. The managers are the Daughters of St. Catherine of Stena.

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Polly Brannum, the oldest woman in Tennessee, died the other night at the age of 109. She was a daughter of a revolutionary patriot, and in her day was acquainted with Sevier, Bloutt, Roan, Carroll, Sam Houston, Andrew Johnson, Andrew Jackson, Polk and other men of national reputation.

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The New York Sun, asked to name the ten American women who will live longest in history, gives this answer: Martha Washington, Rebecca Rolfe (Pocahontas.) Molly Pitcher, Elizabeth Blackwell, Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Priscilla Alden, Eliza Goose (Mother Goose.) Maria Mitchell, Harriet Beecher Stowe and Lucretia Moft.
The Czarina has retired from the

The Czarina has retired from the splendors of St. Petersburg and the larger palaces at Tsarskoe, Selo and Peterhof, to a little secluded mansion in the Peterhof Park. To this place, surrounded by a tall green hedge, none but the most favored statesmen or lalies ever penetrate. All round runs thick park of natural wood and artifi-

thick park of natural wood and artificial lakes.

Mrs. Teresa Fernandez Savage, widow of the late Col. Edward Savage, and a daughter of the late Marquis de la Esperanza of St. Johns, Porto Rico, died a few days ago in New York. She was 70 years old. Being the eldest daughter she inherited her father's title, and was widely known as Marquesa de la Esperanza, even since her marriage.

Mr. Holmes, the librarian of Queen Victoria, is making rapid progress with his life of the Queen. It is characteristic of Her Majesty's love of thoroughness that she revises every sheet of the manuscript herself, and that she will strike out the slightest biographical error which may occur. The Queen's memory is singularly acute, and she very often surprises her ministers by correcting them in some detail which, to them, seems trifling, but which to her seems all-important.

Mrs. Cadwallader Guild, an American who has studios in Both Frankfort and Berlin, is the first woman commissioned by the German government to furnish an art contribution to the public buildings. Postmaster-General von Stephen has ordered from her two statues representing the post and telegraph, to be placed on the new general post-office in Berlin. The citizens of Frankfort presented to Herr von Stephen Mrs. Guild's beautiful bronze statue of Eliktron, which probably paved the way for this further order. Eliktron, which probably paved the way for this further order.

TO BAYARD.

O, Bayard, dear Bayard, come home to us now!
The clock in the steeple strikes one!
Or, if you don't feel like coming, stay there.
It doesn't make much difference anyhow,
Only the White House has changed hands, and

The new management wants to send Some good American to take your place

at the Court of St. Jymes. If you are having A good time, dear Bayard, stay there dear
Bayard, stay there, stay there!
—[Chicago Tribune.

MEXICAN curios. Campbell's Gurio Store ASK your grocer for Miller's Pepsin Cocos. Miller's Pepsin Cocos, thoroughly digestible.

COAST RECORD DIAMOND ROBBERY.

A THIEF GETS AWAY WITH A TRAY OF GEMS.

Blinded a Clerk With Powder and Escaped Through a Street Crowd.

QUACKENBUSH WILL CONTEST

NANCY ABBOTT STILL AFTER THE

The Hawatian Government Refuse Trouble is Feared.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] SPOKANE (Wash..) March 18.-The

when a tray containing about \$3500 worth of diamond rings was stolen from the jewelry store of I. Dornberg, situated on apopulous thoroughfare, and at a time when the sidewalks were and at a time when the sidewalks were lined with pedestrians. A well-dressed man entered the store and asked to be shown some diamond rings. Max Goldstein. a clerk, was in charge of the store at the time, and brought out a tray of diamond rings from the safe. As he placed the tray on the showcase he was blinded by a handful of powder thrown into his face. The robber grabbed the tray of rings and hurried out, and, despite Goldstein's cries, escaped with his booty.

DOUBLE LAUNCHING.

Sunboats Wheeling and Mariette Receive Their Baptism.

IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.1 SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.— Several thousand people witnessed the launching of the twin gunboats Marietta and Wheeling, at the Union Irrowworks today. There was no hitch in the arrangements until after the vessels had slid off the ways. The Wheeling did not gain so much momentum as the Marietta, and charged the latter in the basin, careening her over to a seemingly dangerous degree. The Wheeling tilted to such an extent that those on board rushed to her high side, panic-stricken. There was no real danger, however, and the Weeling righted beautifully as soon as the Marietta drifted apart from her.

On the Wheeling were Hon L R

beautifully as soon as the Marietta drifted apart from her.

On the Wheeling were Hon. J. R. Butts, Mayor of Wheeling, W. Va.; representatives of the Union Iron Works, a party of Wheeling citizens and ladies, and Miss Lucy Brown, who had been delegated to christen the ship.

On the Marietta were the Marietta (O.) party, represented by Mrs. H. Clifford More of this State, formerly of the Ohio city after which the trim fighter is named.

At a given signal the workmen stationed under the ways struck away the blocks, and the wine bottles, released from the swings over the bows by fair hands, crashed on the iron plates.

The gunboats that were launched together belong to a group of six authorized by the act making an appropriation for the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1896. The six gunboats are designated as light-draught composite gunboats of 1000 tons displacement.

HALE & NORCROSS MATTERS. The Secretary of the Company Re

fuses to Give Up the Books.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—The adjourned meeting of the shareholders in the Hale and Norcross Company met this afternoon with George W. Grayson in the chair. A roll call showed a representation of 88,311 shares, of which 60,937 shares were in proxies, 6452 in actual stock, and 20,949 in stock peractual stock, and 20,949 in stock personally represented. After reading the minutes of the previous meeting, detailing fully all that had happened at the previous meeting of the old board, a demand was transmitted to the secretary of the company in control of the books for possession, and embodying a resolution to transfer the location of the office. This demand was signed by nearly two-thirds of the stock represented. The demand for possession was refused. The following were put in nomination for directors, and balloting resulted in the election of these gentlemen by a full vote: Thomas Cole, A. Herman, William Bowers, A. W. Moore, G. W. Grayson, F. S. Butler and R. W. Grayson, F. S. Butler and R.

Train Loads of it Coming from Prairie States.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO. March 18.—R.
D. Perry, secretary of the India famine relief fund, has received telegraphic advice from Rev. R. G. Hobbs of Jacksonville, Ill., that he had received sufficient funds to purchase 60,000 bushels of corn, equal to 1600 tons. Part of this had already been bought in different parts of Nebraska and is ready to be sent on. Nebraska has promised to donate \$1000 in addi-

tion.

Leon A. Harvey, secretary of the Iowa Relief Committee, telegraphed that satisfactory arrangements had been completed with the raliroads for the shipment of large quantities of corn, and that the Governor of Iowa was to issue a proclamation for additional relief measures. About two hundred and fifty tons of corn and mead are now on the way to this city for which shipping bills have been received.

JOCKEY CARTER DEAD. Had a Social Drink With Friends Then Shot Himself.

IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE. OAKLAND, March 18 .- In a dingy back room of a saloon on Broadway Sam Carter, aged 28 years, a well-known jockey, sent a bullet through his breast this afternoon and fell down dead. A moment before he had taken dead. A moment before he had taken a glass of beer and passed the time of day with those about him in the barroom. A brother of the suicide rushed to the back room as soon as he heard the shot, but reached there only in time to gather up the dying jockey's head in his arms and to hear his last gasps for breath.

A BIG WILL CONTEST.

Nancy Abbott Charges That Quack-

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—Nancy Abbott is still fighting for possession of the property of the late Thomas M. Quackenbush. She tried to establish a marriage with him while he was on his deathbed, but Judge Seawell decided that although the marriage contract she produced was a genuine document, he found that she had failed to prove that she and Quackenbush had ever assumed marital relations in the full legal sense. In anticipation of an adverse judgment Quackenbush trans-SAN FRANCISCO, March 18 .- Nancy

ferred all his property to his daughter, and Mrs. Abbott sues to set aside the deeds on the ground of fraud. That suit is still pending.

Today Mrs. Abbott filed a contest to the will, alleging that it was never signed by the deceased, and that it was procured by fraud and duress. In this action she assumes the name of Nancy-Quackenbush.

DR. LEACH GONE.

Death of One of the Pioneers of Fresno County. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

FRESNO, March 18.—Dr. Lewis Leach, one of the earliest white settlers in Fresno county, died at his home in this city tonight, at the age of 74 years.

Dr. Leach came to the San Joaquir Valley in 1850 and located near the subsequent site of Fort Miller, which subsequent site of Fort Miller, which afterward became the town of Millerton, the county-seat of Fresno county. He passed through innumerable hardships, and had several narrowescapes from death by hostile Indians. He was a leading spirit in the organization of the Fresno Water Company, the Fair Grounds Association and the gas company, and was universally esteemed for his charities. He leaves a widow but no children.

A Small Boy's Last Ride.

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EUREKA, March 18.—An accident happened this afternoon by which Eddie Shellacy, 6 years old, was almost instantly killed. He was stealing a ride on a dray, and jumped off the side of the dray while it was in motion. He fell beneath the rear wheel, which struck him on the side of the head, inflicting fatal injuries. SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—The steamer Sunol, which sank in the bay last evening as a result of a collision with the bark Olympic, was towed today to the flats near the Pacific Mail dock, and will be righted in a few hours. Four thousand dollars in silver bullion, and part of other valuable freight will be saved.

A Verdict for Plaintiff.

UKIAH. March 18.—The trial of the case of Mendocino county vs. J. R. Johnson, Sheriff and Tax Collector, was concluded today. The jury found a verdict for the plaintiff for \$2886.80, the amount such for height \$2000. A stay of the plaintiff. amount sued for being \$3000. A stay of thirty days was granted, and the case will be appealed. The trial was before Judge Dougherty of Santa Rosa.

Father Maraschi Dead. Father Maraschi Dead,
SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—Rev.
Father Maraschi, S.J., died today at
St. Ignatius College, aged 77 years. He
was perhaps the most noted priest on
the Coast, and had been for a long
time connected with St. Ignatius
Church and College having been at
one time the president of the college.

PROF. WARD'S WEDDING.

COMES A BENEDICT.

of Pronounced Literary Ability and the Highest Social Standing

THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.1 CHICAGO, March' 18 .- [Special Dispatch.] Mrs. Lydla Avery Coonley of Chicago, and Prof. Henry A. Ward of Rochester, N. Y., were married today at the bride's home, No. 620 Division street, Rev. L. P. Mercer of the Swed-enborgian Church officiating. Only members of the families of the two contracting parties were present. Mr. and Mrs. Ward left at 3-o'clock for Florida. They will spend four or five months in the South and East, and then return to Chicago, where the professor expects to continue his scientific re-

Prof. Wardhas achieved decided disinction as a scientist. He is the counder and managing head of Ward's Natural Science establishments in Rochester, one of the leading institu-tions of that city. He has traveled extensively. It has been said that he has n the last thirty years traveled more than any other man in America. He has been all over the world repeatedly and has collected many kinds of most inter-

esting and valuable specimens. He had a splendid exhibit at the World's Fair, which was purchased for the Field Columbian Museum for \$125,-000. He is 63 years old, and was the friend and companion of Louis Agassiz.

Mrs. Ward is one of the wealthy wo-

SAN FRANCISCO. March 18.—The barkentine Tropic Bird arrived today from Papeete after a quick passage of thirty-one days. The French gunboat Duguay Crousin arrived from Rhaiates Duguay Crousin arrived from Rhalatea on February 13, two days before the Tropic Bird left Papeete with the news that fighting between the French and natives had stopped, and that the re-bellion was at an end.

Oliver Optic Dying.

BOSTON, March 8.—At his home in Dorchester avenue, Harrison Square, William T. Adams (Oliver Optic) is lying in a critical condition from the compileation of troubles, which, combined with a naturally weak constitution, has brought about a state from which no hope of recovery is given by his physicians.

Mrs. McKinley's Gowns.

[Iowa State Register:] The friends of Mrs. McKinley have wisely denied the rumor that she paid \$10,000 for a ball dress. The McKinleys have no income except the President's salary and the expenditure of \$10,000 for a single gown under those circumstances would have been folly, to speak of it in the mildest terms. Of course the McKinleys are not that kind of people. As a matter of fact, for all her gowns, for Mother McKinley's gowns and for the gowns of her sisters, Mrs. McKinley paid only \$2000. So she paid only \$2000 for perhaps a dozen gowns instead of \$17,000 for a single one.

MEXICAN FRUIT.

SONORA'S ORANGE GROVES AND ITS LEMON POSSIBILITIES.

Handsome Orchards of Health the Present Market Lasts.

THE CITY OF HERMOSILLO

POPULATION NOW GREATER THAN EVER BEFORE.

Sounding Mountain of Marble from Which All the Buildings in the City of Angels Could Be Built.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]
HERMOSILLO (Mex.,) March 15.— Before visiting the orange groves of which I spoke in my last letter, I, in company with my genial compa and guide, R. Ruiz, climbed a high hill to have a look out over Hermosillo Valley. The view from it is very fine, and enables you to form a better idea of its agricultural and fruit possibili-ties than riding or driving through it would give. To the southwest and west it presents a broad unbroken plain, but the absence of buildings and cultivated ranches is painfully noticeable. To the East the view is obstructed by a line of low hills, but beyond them the valley extends in that direction for several miles, and all of it, as I am told, good land only lacking water for irrigation. From the top of the hill which we climbed, and which is surmounted with a rudely-fashioned cross, can be seen nearly all the orange groves of this locality, and as you look them over and count them up the fact of the present restricted possibili-

look them over and count them up the fact of the present restricted possibilities of orange culture in this locality impresses itself still further on you. The first grove we reached was that of Gen. Torres, just outside the city limits, It is only about twelve years old, but the splendid growth the trees have made give it the appearance of being older. In the Torres grove the trees are pruned lower than in some others and lower than orange trees are usually pruned in Southern California. Well-balanced and oval-shaped, they present with their clean, bright foliage an appearance that would not suffer by comparison with the best and most highly-cultivated groves of the Golden State. Gen. Torres is proud, and justly so, of his handsome grove, and none the less so that it has for the last two years been a source of handsome profit to him. Driving past some three or four

span been a source of handsome profile of good and the same and the same of good quality, too, similar to carrara marker marked the marker of the court of the palace of the same of the court of the palace of the same of the court of the palace of the same of the court of the palace of the same of the court of the palace of the same of the court of the palace of the same of th Another grove we visited was that of Antonio Garcia. It is the next largest to that of Mr. Ruiz. consisting of 5000 street and the Lake Shore Drive is one of the best-appointed establishments in the city. She is a member of the Fortnightly Club, and president of the Woman's Club. She is a brilliant woman, a writer of ability and possessed of considerable influence in the circles in which she has moved. Mrs. Ward is 51 years old, of fine presence and dignified bearing.

Oakland Races.

OAKLAND. March 18.—Five and a half furlongs: Billy Ayers won, Sea Spray second, Gold Bug third; time 1:10%.

One mile: Barom won, Una Colorado second, Peter Y third; time 1:16%. One mile: Barom won, Una Colorado second, Peter Y third; time 1:44%. Five and a half furlongs: Major Cook won. Candor second, Amelia Fonso third; time 1:09%.

Six and a half furlongs: Applause won, Caliente second, Midlo third; time 1:21%.

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ments. To what extent, even if the tariff be fixed at a rate that the growers here can grapple with, the early oranges of Florida, when the trees of that State again get into bearing, will interfere with good prices here, is a matter that I do not believe any of the Hermosillo growers have considered. I am inclined to believe they will continue to rely on the low cost of production of their fruit as their safest guarantee to be able to undersell the Florida grower, while still leaving them a good margin of profit. Lower selling prices will insure them eastern buyers, and all the more readily because they grow a good orange, while their production is and will remain for a long time to come, very limited.

I have omitted to speak of lemongrowing in this State, not because lemons cannot be successfully raised, but that the production of them has not assumed the proportions of an industry. Some few of the larger orange-growers have experimented with a few trees, and the results they have obtained have satisfied them that the lemon can be grown here under as good conditions as the orange. The only variety yet tried is the Sicily lemon, and certainly, judged by the specimens I have seen, the orange men do not exaggerate when they affirm that the lemon will do as well in this valley as the orange. Looking far away into the future, it might be safe to say that the lemon grove will ultimately prove of more value in this valley than will the orange grove.

orange grove.

A few words about the city and vicinity, and I have done. In the absence of knowledge to the contrary, a stranger would, on walking through

the streets of Hermosillo, and noticing the great number of unoccupied, and partially-ruined adobe buildings, be led to believe that the place must have had at one time or other a population of not less than 50,000 souls. If he asks questions concerning this it is very probable that, as in my case, he will be told that such was the case; the number of its supposed former population may even be raised by his informant to 60,000 and upward. When he asks the cause of its decrease to its present number of 12,000 inhabitants, he will not obtain any satisfactory information. Should, however, he pursue his inquiries further among the more intelligent people who know what they are talking about, he will learn that the supposed population of former times is a myth, and that is a matter of fact the city contains more people today than it ever did at any time of its existence.

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contains more people today than it ever did at any time of its existence.

The explanation of all that is very simple. People familiar with Mexican towns and Mexican architecture know that rarely if ever are the buildings more than one story in height, and that large areas surrounded by adobe-brick walls are devoted to the patio and garden. It is, therefore, readily seen that the space necessary for the occupation of a given number of people in a Mexican town is anything from four to six times as great as would be required for the same number of inhabitants of an American town. Of late years the character of the buildings in this place, as in some other Mexican cities, has been improved; the inhabitants have been brought closer fogether, and most of the outlying adobe structures have been abandoned and allowed to fall into decay.

As compared with Guaymas, this city.

As compared with Guaymas, this city of Hermosillo is a paradisc. N As compared with Guaymas, this city of Hermosillo is a paradise. Not only is it twice the size, but it is a healthier city and a more sightly place. Teh fact that it is the capital of the State gives it, of course, some advantages in the matter of public buildings over its seaport neighbor. The Plaza is the center of the city, as it is the center of attraction, and although not large in extent, would be handsome were the flower beds kept in order and the paved walks kept in repair. The fine double row of orange trees which encircle it is its fine feature. In the evening when it is lighted up with its coal-oil lamps—there is no gas nor electric lights here—and filled with a joyous crowd of young men and maldens, it presents a pretty and animated scene. Overlooking it on the ast side is the State Palace, or legislative hall, corresponding to the State Palace, or legislative hall, corresponding to the State Capitol at Sacramento. Its style of architecture is one that I am not familiar with. It cannot, even under the most violent stretch of imagination be termed a handsome building, unless it be that, like a Scotch terrier, its beauty donsists in its ugliness.

One of the most interesting features

sen's death. The arrest was made by Detective Hawley and Officer Fowier, the latter having located and subconeated the witnesses were examined and their evidence, though in many points very contradictory, all goes directly to attach the wound on the right ear was made in the result of the inquest. Six witnesses were examined and their evidence, though in many points very contradictory, all goes directly to about the result of the inquest. Six witnesses were examined and their evidence, though in many points very contradictory, all goes directly to about the result of the inquest. Six witnesses were examined and their evidence, though in many points very contradictory, all goes directly to every co

One of the most interesting features of this city is the Cerro del Campana (Hill of Bells,) so called because if you strike one piece of the rock against another the sound emitted will be like strike one piece of the rock against another the sound emitted will be like to the tinkling of a bell. The hill is just within the city limits on the south side and rises to a height of over three hundred feet. It is really a hill of marble, and of good quality, too, similar to Carrara marble. The massive marble pillars to be seen in the court of the palace were quarried from it. There is marble enough in that hill to put up every building now standing in Los Angeles, but no use is at present being made of it. Viewed from a distance it has a strangely rugged appearance, produced by the discolored projecting pieces of the rock contrasting with the less exposed white surface of the marble below.

Let me finish with a short story now

When face to face with mountain peaks, Their boldness speaks

To human hearts, And we must worship as we see The grandeur of Yosemite; Can turn away
The praise that starts.

And when we pause where billows roll, To stir the soul With pure delight, The majesty of roaring waves, The hollow bellowing of caves, The endless stretch of sparkling sand, Point out the hand

Of awful might. Or when we stand on deserts drear,

And far and near
See only death,
We raise to heaven our wond'ring eyes
And in mirage see Paradise; While through our hearts sensations Divine, profound, With every breath.

And so the great things speak His power, As does the flower Of slender parts; And man oft feels he has no place Amid such scenes of strength and grace; And yet the Savior came, they say,
To live and pray
For human hearts.

And more than this-no insect small. The least of all,
On land or sea,
Created is, unless it play me useful part, in its own way, Toward the consummation grand Of God's command Of what shall be.

So when we are oft sad of heart, And think no part In life's great race Is left for those as weak as we, That everything, both small and great,
In God's estate,
Has useful place.

We cannot see the hand that leads,
And our own needs
We seldom know. We sendon know.

Then why despair because we seem
To live for nothing save a dream?

It may be dreaming is our part—
And ancient art,
And rightly so.

FRED W. PEARSON. Los Angeles, Cal.

DIED BY VIOLENCE.

RESULT OF THE INQUEST OVER CHARLES GASSEN.

The Verdict of the Coroner's Jury Causes the Police to Hold James Gorman.

THERE WAS A SCUFFLE,

SEN FROM HIS ROOM.

Conclusively Proven That Gassen Had No Cut Upon His Ear Up to the Time That He Entered the Lodging-house.

As a result of the inquest held at Kregelo & Bresee's pariors last night over the remains of Charles Gassen, who on Wednesday died under somewhat peculiar circumstances at the Receiving Hospital, James A. Gorman is now in the City Jall, held there as be-ing the man who caused young Gas-sen's death. The arrest was made by

about a quarter past twelve. This does not tally with the time given by any other witness.

Joseph Johnson, a boy employed to do small jobs around the lodging-house, also said that Gassen came to the lodging-house about 11 o'clock, stayed about one hour and went out again, returning about 1 o'clock. He said he noticed the cut on Gassen's ear when the latter first entered, and later contradicted himself. In the matter of the beer that was drunk, there are so many conflicting statements that it seems impossible to find out whether or not Gassen had a sufficient quantity to render him intoxicated after he reached the house. Johnson made many contradictory statements while he was giving his evidence.

John H. Watson, one of the owners in the saloon beneath the lodging-house, testified that Gassen came to the saloon about 11 o'clock Wednesday morning, and stayed about twenty minutes. He seemed strictly sober, more so than Watson had seen him for several days, and did not complain of any sickness. Watson swore positively that Gassen had no cut on his ear when in the saloon, he having examined him closely. Gassen got a drink of whisky and then went out, but the witness did not know if he went upstairs or not. George Arbuckle, a saloon-keeper on Commercial street, saw Gassen or Tuesday night, Gassen left the room about 11 o'clock, and Arbuckle could not say whether Gassen was sober or not, but he was slightly excited. Arbuckle did not notice any wound on Gassen's ear at any time that he was with him.

James A. Gorman, on the stand, made the first statement that led to the finding of the verdict. He said Gassen

sen's pocket, in the coat hanging in Gorman's room.

"Yes," said the witness.

"And you don't know what you did with it?" asked Fowler again.

"No," I threw it away, somewhere," answered Gorman.

Just here Detective Hawley interposed. "Is it not a fact that you staunched the blood with the handkerchief taken from your own pocket, and then returned to your own room and placed the handkerchief in Gassen's coat pocket?"

For a moment the witness hesitated, and then he shook his head without speaking. Hawley asked him another question, and Gorman then said, "Well, if you are going to come at me like

speaking. Hawley asked him another question, and Gorman then said, "Well, if you are going to come at me like that I shall close up and not say anything more." The Coroner then dismissed the witnesses, and the jury was left to decide on a verdict. After being alone for nearly an hour, they returned the following verdict:

"We, the jury, find that Charles Gassen came to his death from hemorrhage of the brain, caused by a blow on the right ear, received in rooms 5 and 6 at No. 1394 South Los Angeles street; and we, the jury, find that the only violence offered the deceased, according to the evidence, was by one James Gorman."

"JOHN H. CUMMINS. Foreman."

Gorman was at once taken in charge by Detective Hawley and Officer Fowler, and escorted to the Police Station. He was taken into the detectives' room there, and though the officers will not give out any of his testimony, they admit that he made many new admissions that connect him with the death of young Gassen. They do not claim that there was any deliberate intention of violence on Gorman's part, but they accuse him of being the cause of the blow that undoubtedly resulted in Gassen's death.

The remains will be buried today at Rosedale Cemetery, the funeral taking place from the parlors of Kregelo & Bresee this morning.

[Household Words:] Helen Oh, yes; he always thought the world of me. Before we were married he used to say that he was willing to die for

Me. Nellie. But he didn't.
Helen. Of course not. He was no thoughtful, you know. He said that he did not dare to do it, lest I should be unable to replace the loss.

[Harper's Round Table.] Mrs. Warm-heart. My god man, why do you let your children go barefoot?
Pat O'Hoolhan. For the raison, ma'am, that I have in my family more

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AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

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THE MAN WHO LAUGHS

Some thirty odd years ago the gifted Frenchman who has been styled "the Virgil of Prose," Victor Hugo, wrote a novel called "L' Homme Qui Rit," the "Man who Laughs." Beyond the opening chapters which tell of a shipwreck in the British Channel, and the loss of all save a defaced boy who grew up to a remarkably brainy fellow and a member of Parliament. The book is without interest. The story of the shipwreck is grim and weird enough, but pathetic beyond

The book tells of the doings of a gang of miscreants who stole children in England and defaced them so by various perversions of the surgical art that recognition on the part of their relatives was simply impossible. These miscreants were known as "Com-prachicos." The laws of Spain are very severe against this crime. In 1973 the Tammany ring had so bankrupted the treasury of New York City that there was no money left to carry on the public schools. Thomas Nast was then cartooning for Harper's Weekly and pictured Boss Tweed as dragging little children away from the common schools; and hence it was that when the Tammany boss was arrested at the little port of Vigo, he was arrested as a "Comprachico," in stead of for being the head devil in the most stupendous defalcation in the history of municipal government in

"The Man Who Laughs" was named Gwynplaine and was evidently a son of gentle parents, who had been "reved" and defaced by the "Comprachicos" to enable some more distant relatives to acquire a rich estate by being the next of kin to an unfortunate old couple whom crime had rendered childless. His face was as ugly as his manners were elegant and his speech persuasive. There is nothing, however, in all the parliamentary annals of England to betoken the presence of any such person, so the story must merely pass for one of the author's clever fictions.

The Times of vesterday contained a picture of Mr. Robert Fitzsimmons. vho, on the day previous, had become the richer by some \$25,000 as the result of a premeditated misunderstanding with a gentleman named Corbett, who wears his hair cut in the style know as "pompadour." And while we do not believe that at any time during his career, parliamentary or otherwise, the Hon. Mr. Gwynplaine was gentleman from New Zealand after the cessation of hostilities, we feel constrained to believe, from reading the telegrams from Carson, that The Times' artist has not been guilty of exaggeration, but has simply "held up the mirror to nature."

With a red cabbage growing under his left eve and something like a cranberry tart in process of formation under his starboard optic, the gentleman from Maoriland was decidedly "an ornament to society;" that is, presuming that there exists a "400" within the domains of the sagebrush in mind that Mr. Fitsimmons, who was known as "the enchanted shrimp" tipodes, swelled his bank account in fifty-six minutes by an amount equal to a year's salary for any President of the United States prior to Gen Grant. Hence he can afford to indulge the risible muscles of his face for some time to come. Mr. Fitzsimmons is "The Man Who Laughs," be yond all hope of contradiction.

San Francisco paper announce that C. P. Huntington was to leave New York on Monday last, in a special train, for San Francisco, by way of New Orleans, which would bring him through this city. The officials at the San Francisco office are quoted as saying that Huntington will visit San Pedro, Santa Monica, and San Diego before going north. It is scarcely probable that Mr. Huntington expects a formal reception from the view of the fact that owing to his untiring efforts we obtained the large riation of \$3,000,000 for a deepwater harbor, in place of the modest annual appropriation which we ex-pected, it might be well to present Uncle Collis with some small token

For the first time in twenty-eight ears Ohio has two United States enators. Ohio should be wise enough cap a good thing when she has it, has reached its flood.

A GOOD SUGGESTION.

A correspondent suggests that in constructing the new entrance to Elysian Park it would be well to widen Buena Vista street as it approaches the bridge. The suggestion is a good one, as the street at that point is certainly too narrow to accommodate even the present traffic. The combination of a double line of street-car track, curves, side track, and the noisy locomotives below the street. make the place both disagreeable and dangerous. If the widening of the street at that point can be accomplished without too heavy expense it should be done.

The correspondent above referred to offers to contribute \$10 toward paying the expense of widening the approach to the bridge. Doubtless "there are others" and if so it would be well for them to make known to the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association their wishes and the amounts they are willing to contribute for the

THE HILDA'S STORY.

"And, oh! what rapture fills each breast Of the hopeless crew of the ship distres When landed safe, what joy to tell Of all the dangers that befell! There is heard no more, the watch on the shore, e minute-gun at sea.

The man who could read the pathetic story in yesterday's Times about the loss of the French steamship, Ville de St. Nazaire, and the rescue of her captain and three other survivors, without a thrill of joy to think that even one was saved from that scene of disaster and death, must be made of very flaccid material. Three corpses of exhausted men lying in the bottom of the boat, dead from cold

had become too weak from pain and suffering to commit them to the deep for burial, made a picture too touching

and hunger while the four survivors

to be called dramatic. It was the crew of a little coasting schooner, called the Hilda, that made the rescue. The parties saved were the aged captain of the ill-fated steamer, together with his engineer, his first officer and the surgeon. Out of thirty-eight people who had been lowered into that boat from the decks of the doomed ship, only four were left; and the strongest of the survivors was so far gone himself that he did not know that the three men lying down in the bottom of the boat

with him were dead. This is the

kind of "times that try men's souls." The little Hilds hails from Ambov a small town in New Jersey, to the southwest of Staten Island; and Amboy has good cause to be proud of rescue. There is a great deal of rude heroism among those rough fellows and the French owners of the illfated steamer should remember the rescuing crew in a handsome way Heroism not only abounds in New Jersey, but her sons occasionally display some of it abroad. Up somewhere among the somber forests along the Siletz River in Oregon, lives a quiet and unpretentious old man named Amos Haring, who saved another, on the once-dreadful bar of Coos Bay. He carries an old silver watch, but on its chain is a gold medal reciting his deeds of valor; and the gallant old chap prizes it more

in front of him. It is forty-five years since the P. M. S. S. Co.'s ship San Francisco was wrecked off Cape Hatteras with over 600 soldiers on board, in addition to a crew of nearly 150 people, all told. Over 300 lives were lost, but just as night was coming on a British ship, called the "Three Bells" of Glasgow, came along and hailed them. "There's nothing can be done tonight, but I will lie by you till morning," cantain said. When day broke there came two other vessels-the Antarctic, Capt. Stouffer, and the Lucy Thompson, Capt. Pendleton. These three ships, blown nearly 150 miles to the southward of their course by the great hurricane that had wrecked the big steamer, took off every one that had been left and brought them safely into New York. The sea is cruel, but it has begotten a gallant and manly pro lession to which the American eart's pulses go out in unison of sen-

than all the money you could pile up

timent; and never more so than on that dreadful February day when "The bells in all the steeples
Rang out, with glad accord,
To welcome home to Christian soil
The ransomed of the Lord."

Business conditions throughout the country are steadily improving, much shrickers. They will be utterly crushed when the tide of prosperity

ASSUMING PRACTICAL FORM.

The Boulevard Committee of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association held a meeting yester day to consider plans and sugrestions for the construction of a high-class boulevard between this city and Pasadena. The meeting was a very enthusiastic one, and various excellent suggestions were offered, many of which will doubtless enter into the plan of construction as finally adopted. The best engineering talent will be secured to make a preliminary survey of possible routes and report thereon as soon as feasible. The best of legal talent will also be at the disposal of the committee whenever such services may be needed. The committee is unanimous in its desire to push the work forward as rapidly as possible, and no effort in that direction will be omitted.

Pasadena will today be asked to appoint a committee of public-spirited citizens, vested with duties similar to those devolving upon the Boulevard Committee of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association of Los Ange-The Pasadena committee is expected to cooperate with our own committee in furthering this grand work, which will unite the two cities in permanent bonds of sisterhood. If Pasadena will take hold of the project with the same spirit of enthusiasm that has been manifested in Los Angeles, all doubt as to the success of the enterprise will vanish. Such cooperation is expected from the citizens of Pasadena, and the indications are that this expectation will be fully realized.

It is proposed by those who have this great undertaking in charge to construct a permanent highway between the two cities, which will be an enduring monument to the enterprise of both cities, and a credit to Southern California, No ordinary, cheaplyconstructed dirt or graveled road will do. Money expended on such a road would be practically wasted. A firstclass highway, built of crushed stone laid on hydraulic cement, in accordance with the best scientific and engineering methods, is the only proposition that should be considered Such a road will last for ages, with almost no expense for repairs. It will be practically free from dust in dry weather, and free from mud in we weather. It will be a source of constant pleasure and benefit to the people of both cities and to those of the adjacent country. It will not be many years before the boundaries of Los Angeles and Pasadena will meet, and the entire territory along the line of the boulevard will be closely built up.

The project for a boulevard between Los Angeles and Pasadena has long been discussed, but heretofore it has begun and ended in talk. Present indications are that at last the under taking has assumed a practical form and has been taken up by practical, energetic, public-spirited men, who will push it forward to a magnificent success, in spite of all obstacles that

If one such road as is contemplated be built, leading out from Lor Angeles, its benefits will be so great and so obvious that the construction of other roads of like character, radiating in other directions, will follow. The successful completion of the Los Angeles and Pasadena grand boule vard will inaugurate a new era of progress for both cities.

FUND FOR THE UNEMPLOYED.

The Times acknowledges the receipt of \$5 from Henderson Judd of No. 1969 Lovelace avenue, for the above fund. This makes the total amount subscribed through this paper \$599.50. Yesterday appears to have been an off day for the charitably inclined and we trust the showing for today may be much better. Mr. Judd, in the let-

'It occurs to me that there ought to be many who might contribute even less amounts—so little as one (1) dollar each, and thus provide a single day's earnings toward the sur port of families among the unem-

The point is well taken. Let u hear from the next subscriber.

GENTLE WOMAN AS AN ELEVATOR.

It is to be hoped that the protagonists of woman suffrage, who allege that the presence of lovely woman at the primary and the polls will ameliorate the coarseness and brutality of man and introduce into politics the refinement and gentleness that are lacking in the pursuit of spoils, will derive spiritual comfort and support from the example of the Fitzsimmoness, whose presence at the Carson ringside did so uch to put prize-fighting upon a loftier plane.

According to the reports, the two brutal men, who battered each other for fame and good hard dollars, displayed no animosity, but frequently laughed when they missed blows, and were not bent upon doing each other more injury than might be demanded by the rigor of the game. But the Fitzsimmoness, the representative of the gentler sex, mounted a chair and behaved like a fiend. Her cheeks flamed, her eyes blazed, and she shrieked oaths and clamored for murder. She raved and cursed and threatened, called Corbett all the insulting names in the vocabulary of toughdom and entreated her husband to kill Not a man at the ringside him. showed a trace of the flendish brutality and cruelty displayed by the woman, a wife and a mother, and when the end came and men were pion and shuddering at recollections of the agony he had suffered, this flower of modern civilization, this gentle creature whose influence is to often the ruggedness of men and nosegays, danced like a hell-cat and yelled and went mad with joy.

enough of his experiment of admitting "ladies" as spectators at prize fights.

The bill known as Senate Bill No. 11, to compel all foreign insurance companies doing business in this State to make a deposit of \$200,000 in securities with the Comtroller of State before writing policies upon property, would have the effect of destroying competition in that business and, in that way, a making the rates of insurance higher. This move is in the interest of the local companies, all of which are liable to be badly affected by a great fire in San Francisco, as they have no policies nor investments outside the State. The competition of foreign companies is all that has so far made insurance reliable in California up to the present time,

It cost Queen Victoria \$20,000 for her train from Cherbourg to Nice and back, in addition to which another train going from Boulogne to Nice has to carry all the baggage and the servants. The Queen occupies an entire floor, containing seventy odd rooms and her total expenses, by the time she returns to England in the week of May, will be about \$250,000 or twice as much as the income of the richest man in Los Angeles. Our good ladies of the local Four Hundred, whose Figuroa and Adams street contain from eighteen twenty-four rooms, can be thankful that they are not Queens of the Brit-

Robert H. Folger of Massillon, O. claims to be the oldest practicing awyer in America. He was born in Nantucket, Mass. and his father was in command of the American ship Topaz when she discovered the mutineers of the British ship Bounty on Pitcairn Island. They set Capt. Bligh, the master of that ship, adrift in an open boat on the Indian Ocean with only forty day's provisions for himself and the seven men who stood by him. After intense suffering Bligh and his men reached Calcutta after a trip of 1400 miles. He afterward was made Governor of New South Wales.

That story of Gov. Bradley's respitng Walling, one of the murderers of Pearl Bryan in Kentucky, was cut out of whole cloth and he will have to hang side-by-side with his fellowmurderer, Jackson, tomorrow. It is greatly to the credit of Kentucky that these two brutes are to be made so promptly to pay the penalty of their awful crime. It is only about six weeks over a year since the unfortunate girl's headless body was found; and notwithstanding all the efforts of wealthy relatives, their doom is sealed. Tonight will be their last night on earth.

The death of Antonio Ezeta, formerly Vice-President of Salvador, causes general rejoicing throughout the Central American States. Ezeta was a firebrand, the quenching of which will undoubtedly assist the preservation of peace in Central America. If he had had the good sense to settle down to some honest work in the United States when he was a refugee in San Francisco some two years ago, he might still be alive. But then, it is just as well, perhaps,

The latest thing in torpedoes is one that is to run on a trolley wire under water till it reaches the point desired under the bottom of the ship and then blows her up. They will keep on inventing these horrible machines of war, destined to blow a thousand men eternity at once, until war will grow to be so horrible to men of lofty mind that arbitration will have be come the universal practice. then people will quit laughing at Sir Julian Pauncefote and Hon, Richard Olney.

It is not dangerous to be an enemy of the Czar, however dangerous it may be to be an officer on one of his ironclads. The bursting of a gun on board of a Russian ironclad at the bombardment of Canea, in the Island of Crete, killed fifteen men outright and wounded sixteen others, which was a greater damage than was done by any British ship in a single shot either at Alexandria or at Sevastopol. That gun was one of the kind that is "dangerous without lock, stock or

It is now proposed to build locks through the summit of the Isthmus of Panama known as Culebra. Forty-five years ago at that point a member of THE TIMES' staff climbed the tall tree known as "Balboa's Pine" and saw both oceans at once. The engineer then in charge of the work was Col. E. D. Baker, afterward a United States Senator from Oregon. He was killed at the battle of Ball's Bluff in October, 1862.

Several of our young men, who could not afford the expense of a trip to Carson, sent money up by their friends thinking they could get more Fitzsimmons money bet against it there than here. When the word came in by telephone that "Lanky Bob" had won, you could have heard the dew fall, or a note fall due, which amounts to the same thing.

THE TIMES made the mistake a few days ago of crediting a paragraph in praise of our Railway Number to the Outlook of Santa Monica instead of to the Signal in which it appeared. apology is in order and is herewith endered. The Signal is another kind

"Tis Greece, but living Greece no more," wrote Byron. Whatever condition Greece may have been in in Byron's day, she is certainly very much alive at the present time.

Now let us have a good, long rest Doubtless Dan Stuart has had from sluggers and sluggers and

VICTIMS OF FLOODS. the interior of Crittenden county, Ark.

MANY PEOPLE DROWNED BY THE SPRING FRESHETS.

housands of Destitute Refuges Cared for by the Charitable People of Memphis.

THE BONDS OF WINTER BROKEN

CAUSING DISASTROUS OVERFLOW

Ice Gorges and Water Creating oc in the Upper Missouri Valley-Southern Rivers Still Rising.

IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.1

MEMPHIS (Tenn.,) March 18.—To-night the great flood claimed five more victims. At Marion, Etta Lix and her four children were trying to make their way to Marion for shelter, and while attempting to cross a railroad trestle the strong current overwhelmed the party and all perished. The oldest child was a girl aged 16, and the youngest an infant of eight months.

The river is still rising at Memphi.

and the indications are that it will continue to do so for some time. The river tonight stands at 36.9 feet, a rise since morning of one-tenth. The rise is continuing at Cairo, and heavy rains big river along the upper portion and the middle valley. Throughout the en-tire northwest territory, the drainage from which swells the volume of water in the Upper Mississippi, the rainfalls continue. The same conditions prevail in the territory which feeds the Ohio continue. The same conditions in the territory which feeds the and other tributaries, while the heav-iest rains of all are descending over the already submerged Arkansas tory. On the eastern side of the river continuous rains are the rule.

At Memphis and throughout this district the rainfall in the last twenty-

trict the rainfall in the last twenty-four hours amounted to 1.46 inches, while across the river at Helena, it was 2.42 inches. So long as the heavy rains continue there is small chance of a cessation of the overflow. Shortly after 11 o'clock a bulletin was sent out from the weather bureau at Memphis reporting a fall of two-tenths of a foot since yesterday morning. This bulletin was published as a piece of cheering news in the local papers, and was telegraphed over the country.

bulletin was published as a piece of cheering news in the local papers, and was telegraphed over the country. Subsequently Mr. Emery of the weather bureau discovered that the statement contained in the bulletin was absolutely erroneous, that no fall whatever had taken place, but that the weather bureau employés who had read the gauge at 1 o'clock, had made a mistake. As a matter of fact the river was stationary from yesterday morning at 7 until 6 p.m.

At Caifo the rise continues in about the same proportion, two-tenths of a foot being recorded in twenty-four hours, ending this morning, when the gauge indicated 50 feet. This is ten feet above the danger line, and within two feet and a fraction of the extreme highwater mark reported about a week ago.

At Helena, where the rainfall was almost as heavy as at Memphis, being 2.2 inches, the river rose eight-tenths of a foot in the twenty-four hours ending this morning, when the gauge indicated 46.7 feet, which is 9.7 tenths feet above the danger line.

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At Greenville the rise in the twenty

four hours was six-tenths of a foot, 39.8 feet being registered on the gauge. This is within two-tenths of a foot of the

feet being registered on the gauge. This is within two-tenths of a foot of the danger line.

At Shreveport and New Orleans the river continues to rise.

The work of rescue and relief goes forward with unabated zeal. Four or five rescue steamers have arrived here, bringing several hundred refugees, nearly all of whom are destitute, to be cared for by the charity of Memphis people. The Relief Committee has its hands full. As long as the overflow continues funds will be needed to relieve the immediate pressing wants of the flood sufferers.

Thasmuch as practically all of the sufferers are residents of Arkansas, the Relief Committee telegraphed to Gov. Jones of that State, asking his coöperation in relieving the distress of his people. The Governor replied that there were no funds at his disposal. The local relief committees have sent out an appeal to the individual citizens of Arkansas, Tennessee and Mississippi.

Tonight the Yazoo Valley Ralifroad abandoned its trains, owing to the encroachment of the water over its tracks a few miles south of Memphis. The raftway situation on the Arkansas side of the river remains unchanged and all trains are entering the city over the from Mountain tracks, which are a few inches above the water.

RESCUE WORK.

RESCUE WORK. MEMPHIS (Tenn.,) March 18.-For rescue steamers, including two government boats, arrived this morning from the overflowing country north of Memphis, landing 400 refugees and 1000 head of stock. The condition of the refugees is pitiable. Some are only partly clothed and sick almost to death from exposure and long suffering. Seventy-five had been standing for hours in water waist-deep awaiting a rescue steamer. One woman clung frantically to her dead babe. In another family of four, two were drowned a few minutes before the boat arrived. Rain began falling yesterday afternoon and at 10 o'clock this morning was coming down in torrents, causing a rise in the river of three inches in eighteen hours. The gauge read 36.8.

Several small breaks in old levees are reported, causing additional damage and suffering. Islands No. 40, 39, 38, 37, 36 and 34 are reported entirely submerged today. These contain magnificent cotton plantations of thousands of acres, operated by 500 negroes and 25 head of stock. The stock was abandoned. The owners and hands have been landed safely at Memphis and Cairo. A special train left Memphis this morning containing material to strengthen the delta levees.

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MEMPHIS, (Tenn.,) March 18.-Ir MEMPHIS, (Tenn.) March 18.—18. Memphis all vacant stores are crowded with 3500 refugees. They sleep on the floors. That the river will continue to rise and break levees, causing loss of the store of t SIX PERSONS DROWNED.

MEMPHIS (Tenn..) March 18.—According to a well-defined report, sib people were drowned yesterday between Marion and Jerico while trying to reach a railroad track, their boat being capaized by a whiripool.

MEMPHIS, March 18.-At noon toda; MEMPHIS, March 18.—At noon today the report of the continued rise of the river, with news of great loss of life, almost caused a panic in Memphis. A general appeal issued today by the Citizens' Relief Committee, addressed to the people of Arkansa, Tennessee and Mississippi, has met with a liberal response in the shape of telegrams of the control of

BONDS OF WINTER BROKEN.

OMAHA (Neb.,) March 18.—Special telegrams to the Bee from all points in the Northwest indicate that the bonds of winter were simultaneously broken up today and the streams that have been bound in ice for months are suddenly turned to raging torrents. The worst reports come from South Dakota.

Along the Missouri tonight the people are fleeling in darkness from the rapidly increasing floods and nothing definite can be told further. The snow that capped the State lay from four to six feet deep, on the level. Two days of warm weather with two nights of rain have set all this running to the rivers. BONDS OF WINTER BROKEN.

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At Pierre, S. D., the Cheyenne and Red Rivers, at Chamberlain the White, at Yankton the Big and Little Sloug rivers, and the Floyd at Sloux City are pouring their torrents onto the ice in the Missouri, which has not yet broken. The lowlands are flooded and the rivers are rising with frightful rapidity.

The Platte River, swollen to more than its usual spring height, is rushing into the Missouri carrying with it the debris of wrecked bridges and farm yards in its valley. The Elkhorn adds its flood to the Platte and all the valleys seem to be affoat.

From Iowa come stories of ice gorges on the Des Moines River at Fort Dodge and Madrid, flooding miles of the bottoms and doing great damage. So far as is known only one life has been lost, Harry Favill, a farmer of Dixon county, who was drowned while trying to cross a bridge over a swollen stream.

bridge over a swollen stre FLOODS IN THE DAKOTAS.

PIERRE (S. D.,) March 18.-The are serious apprehensions of a flood in the Missouri Valley at this point. Red River broke up last night and poured its flood out onto the ice, which is still firm, in the Missouri, Settlers on the flats are moving out. At Canton, S. D., the Sioux River is out of its banks, and all bridges are likely to go out.

LEVEES GIVING WAY. HELENA (Ark.,) March 18.—The river here is forty-seven feet on the gauge, which is one and one-tenth feet

river here is forty-seven feet on the gauge, which is one and one-tenth feet below high water. The river at Westover is six inches higher than ever before known, and at Old Town, six miles below Westover, the river is three inches above the highest water mark, and at Modoc it is six inches higher than ever before.

At 9 o'clock tonight advices from Modoc are to the effect that it is impossible to hold the levee at that point until morning. The men who are in charge of the work have given up the task, their work having been in valin, although they have labored valiantly to hold it. The people who are living in that neighborhood have been warned of the impending disaster and are fleeling for their lives. The water at this hour is going over the top of the levee in that vicinity. The steamer Abbott, a government boat, is now loading at Modoc sacks, implements and laborers and will go to Old Town, where work will be' prosecuted to strengthen the levee. Half of the force will be left at Modoc to further endeavor to save the levee if possible.

The Abbott passed here for points below with 8000 sacks of sand and a large number of laborers.

Seeeeeeee SOCIETY. Deeeeeeeee

Mrs. C. E. Kregelo entertained a number of Indianapolis friends at dinner last evening at her residence on West Twenty-eighth street, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. George Evans and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Knippenberg of that city. The table decorations were California poppies, smilax and bows of yellow satin ribbon. Besides the guests of honor there were present Mr. and Mrs. Henry Long, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. S. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Will Knip-S. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Will Knip-penberg, Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Martin, Mmes. Carey, W. C. de Pauw, and David Knickerbooker, Miss Hawkins and Miss Carey.

Mrs. John Kahn entertained Wednesday afternoon at her residence on South Grand avenue, in honor of Miss Rose Goslinsky of San Francisco. The Misses Emma and Rose Newmark assisted. The large rooms, which were all thrown together, were beautifully decorated in green. Soft streamers of green tulle were caught from the chandellers to the corners of the rooms, and everywhere in artistic profusion were arranged picturesque grasses, potted plants and palms, converting the whole lower floor into a veritable conservatory. At the luncheon table, which was also charmingly decorated, the corsage bouquets were of mignonette and dainty grasses, tied with bright green satin ribbon. The afternoon was devoted to progressive games, the first prize, an enameled blotting pad, being won by Miss Freda Hellman, and the second, a cut-glass dish, by Miss Hortense Levy. Twenty guests en the second, a cut-glass dish, by Miss Hortense Levy. Twenty guests en-joyed Mrs. Kahn's charming hospitality.

Mrs. Albert Carlos Jones gave a children's party yesterday afternoon at her residence on West Twenty-seventh street, in honor of little Miss Winfired Smith of Milwaukee and the fourth birthday of her own little daughter, Miss Helen Pendleton Jones. Mrs. Jones was assisted by Mmes. James G. Scarborough, A. E. Smith of Milwaukee, C. W. Pendleton and Godfrey Holterhoff. The afternoon was devoted to games, dancing and an elaborate luncheon. In the dining-room, where the long table was arranged for the smaller guests, the decorations were all in pale green and rose color. In the center of the table was a bowl of pink carnations and maldenhar ferns, on either side of which was a large, shallow bowl, in the form of a pink and a green flower, heaped with bonbons. Surrounding these were small silken bags filled with bonbons, in similar flowers of a smaller size and attached to satin ribbons which ran to the covers, inscribed near the end with the names, flowers of a smaller size and attached to satin ribbons which ran to the covers, inscribed near the end with the names, the bags and ribbons for the girls being pink and those for the boys green. The huge birthday cake was illuminated with four tiny candles. The older children enjoyed their luncheon in the fibrary, where the decorations were all in red. In the center of the table a large bowl of red carnations was surrounded with similar silken bags of bonbons, except that bags as well as ribbon matched the carnations in color. The menu as far as possible was carried out in the color of the decorations, as it was also in the larger room. The drawing-room and music-room were decorated with California popies, freesias and ferns. Those present were

mtses—
Lelia Holterhoff,
Martan Macnell,
Mathilde Bartlett,
A. Pendleton,
Clara Baker.

Misses—
Juliet Borden,
Helen McConnell,
Louise Hunt,
Fannie Carpenter,
Amy Busch,

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. F. Peck and Mr and Mrs. Fred Hines entertained the Bonnie Brae Card Club and a number of other friends at high five last even-ing. Mise Frankenfield assisted. The

ated china cracker tray and a silver and Mr. Boothe. The guests' prizes, a pair of silver sugar tongs and a silver punch spoon, were won by Miss Augusta Poehler and Mr. Haraison. Besides the club members there were present Mr. and Mrs. George Steckel, Mr. and Mrs. Bacon, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Scarborough, Miss Poehler, Miss Prentiss, Messrs. Dick, Notman and Haraison,

Heartt, Bessie Benz, Messrs.—
S. Mann,
Nagle,
W. Pearson,
M. Shepherd,
F. Taylor,
L. Wagner,
W. Webster,
Witherspoon, M. J. Gress,
H. C. Limbrock,
Newton Moore,
J. F. Sadler,
C. L. Truitt,
R. Warner,
W. Whitney.

NOTES AND PERSONALS Mrs, Knickerbocker of Indianapolis the widow of the late Bishop Knicker

the widow of the late Bishop Knickerbocker, will be the guest of Mrs. C. E.
Kregelo during the next two weeks.
Mr. and Mrs. Sumner P. Hunt entertained the Neighborhood Club last
evening.
The Queen Esther Circle of the Boyle
Heights Methodist Church will be entertained by the Misses Widney at their
home, "Euclid Crest," this evening.
The Historical Society of Southern
California will entertain at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Williamson at University
next Monday evening. The invitations
are limited to the members of the society and the officers of the Sons of the
Revolution, Daughters of the Revolution and officers of the Landmarks
Club.
Mrs. Albert E. Smith and her little

Club.

Mrs. Albert E. Smith and her little daughter, of Milwaukee, are visiting Mrs. A. C. Jones of West Twenty-seventh street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Haddock have rereturned from Elsinore Hot Springs, and are at the California.

The Ladles' Aid Society of the First Methodist Church gave a social last evening at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. Edwards, corner Ninth and Beacon streets.

E. P. Bryan and Miss Bessie have returned from a three visit at Elsinore. PASADENA EVENTS.

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A masquerade party was given Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Craig, in Pasadena, the occasion being Mrs. Craig's birthday anniversary. Many beautiful costumes were worn. A peanut hunt occupied the early part of the evening, and prizes were awarded to those finding the greatest number, Miss Lila Dalrympie and Henry Newby being the successful ones. Progressive hearts followed, Mrs. Miles and Dr. Ayers carrying off the honors. Games. charades, music and dancing also served to entertain the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. William Blake were the recipients of a surprise party Wednesday evening. Games, charades and dancing occupied the evening. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Booth, Mr. and Mrs. Puller, Mr. and Mrs. Bilharz, Mr. and Mrs. Dillard, Mr. and Mrs. Malden, Mr. and Mrs. Beale, Mr. and Mrs. Prichard, Mrs. Snuddden, Misses Callan, Brown, Lamont, Messrs. George Snudden Tom Mather, Ed Thornburg, Frank Thornburg, Campbell, Bryant, Welsh, Henchy, John Blake, George Kelly. The Misses Greble entertained Wednesday afternoon at a formal teagiven in honor of the Misses Evans. The house was beautifully decorated, the dining-room presenting an especially artistic effect of gold of ophiroses and California violets. Mrs. Jason Evans presided over the coffee urn; Miss Tilden at the tea table. The Misses Greble, assisted by the Misses Favans, received. The guests were: Misses Armstrong, Hugus, Ford, the Misses Hubbard, the Misses Tilden, Bolt, Rowland, Daggett, Spindle, Coleman, Critchell and Warner of Chicago, and Mrs. Evans.

CROWN PRINCE DEAD.

The Japanese Heir Apparent's Death a State Secret.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.-Capt. and more recently of Ft. Canby, Wash. Peru, says that the Crown Prince of Japan is dead, and that the sad event circles, although at the same time the news was a state secret and was kept from the public. The heir apparent to the Japanese

throne, according to Capt. Day, passed away at one of the palaces of the royal family between Yokobama and Kioto, several days before the sailing of the family between Yokohama and Kloto, several days before the sailing of the Peru, but for various reasons the fact has not been publicly announced as yet. Japan has just recovered from a month of mourning over the death of the Empress Dowager, during which period business was suspended and Isetivities of all kinds avoided. To affict the whole empire with another siege of grief and mourning at this time has not been deemed advisable, and for that reason, so the story goes, the death of the Crown Prince is being kept a secret for the time being.

Capt. Day said that it was reported in Yokohama that the death of the Crown Prince had completely prostrated the Emperor, whose health has not been of the best of late. A rumor was circulated that the Emperor was also dead, but this was quickly and emphatically denied. One rumor had it that smallpox had broken out in the Emperor's palace, and that the Queen Dowager and the Crown Prince had both died from this disease.

Dakota's Divorce Record. [San Francisco Post:] The statement that over a thousand divorces are annually granted in Fargo, Dak., would seem to justify a modification of the old saying that "Matches are made in heaven" by affixing the words "and broken in Fargo."

PARTED IN THE MIDDLE.

Say, who got Fitz? Why, Corbett did. You He tried to knock the "simmons" from the

Next time he'll be a sliver man, and will bry, "Open up the mint, and not the mi New lanky Fits, your "simmons" you

chew
And hop back to the festive kangaroo,
While Corbett kan-go-rue the awful bumps
Which took his ace of hearts with deuce of
thumps.

ALPRED I. TOWNSEND

THE WEATHER.

S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, March 18.—At 5 o'clock a.m., the barometer registered 30.05; at 5 p.m., 30.08. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 50 des. and 54 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 84 per cent.; 5 p.m., 82 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 3 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 12 miles. Maximum temperature, 61 deg.; minimum temperature, 46 deg. Rainfall past twenty-four hours, trace. Character of weather, 5 a.m., cloudy; 5 p.m., sprinkling. Barometer reduced to sea level.

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

At the gladiatorial shows in Rome the thumbs of women turned down passed sentence of cruel death upon fallen fighters. At Carson the Fitz-simian was urged by the female of his species to kill his antagonist.

Another instance is at hand of the necessity of harmony in cooperative institutions in order that the best results may be obtained. The Anaheim Cooperative Beet-Sugar Company in Or inge county has petitioned the Superior Court to disincorporate as a result of continuous bickering and contention among the stockholders.

The building of a boulevard between Los Angeles and Pasadena, as propose by the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, would not only be of great benefit directly to the two cities, but it might get the people of Southern California into the habit of making good and permanent roads, a habit that has not been sufficiently cultivated yet anywhere in America.

California is once more becoming prospectors' paradise. The mining camp at Randsburg leaves nothing to be desired in the way of wild schemes and cheerful vandalism, and now gold has cropped up in the Ojai Valley. Rumor is rife as to the richness of the lead, and claims are being staked out with serene disregard of the rights of the owner of the ranch on which the alluring gleam of the yellow metal first appeared. It would take little more to start the genuine gold fever.

The entertainment which is soon to be given in Pasadena for the benefit of the Landmarks Club promises to be of more than social interest. Many valuable relics of the old mission days will be exhibited, among them some old copies of paintings by Italian masold copies or paintings by the secretly kept for many years by some of the old padres. The proceeds of the entertainment are to be used to assist the Landmarks Club in its work of pre-serving from decay what little remains of the Spanish missions.

A woman skipper raced her naphtha launch against another launch, com-manded by a man, on San Diego Bay St. Patrick's day. The plucky female skipper was defeated in the long race by a difference of only six inches. Sel-dom has there been such a close boat-ing contest on this Coast, and the excellent seawomanship of the defeated skipper won for her the approbation of the crowds of spectators, many of whom believe that if her skirts had not acted as a buffer to the wind, a decided disadvantage over the man's dress of the competing skipper, the woman would have won. But this is not to be regarded as an argument in favor of mers at sea. They are bad enough

Fernando Gunzales, who stole a package of newspapers from Wells, Fargo & Co., was yesterday sentenced by Justice Owens to serve thirty days in the City Jail.

City Jall.

W. A. Wilson, arrested for battery, was in court and his trial was set for March 23, at 2 o'clock. Wilson was released upon his own recognizance.

Lloyd Page, charged with stealing a sack containing twenty-nine bottles from one Joe Raeman, was found gullty of petty larceny, and will be sentenced today at 2 o'clock. In the mean time Page, who is a negro, reposes in the jall.

Ernest Cuno, arrested for battery upon the person of George Lorenz, was found guilty of the same and will be

found guilty of the same and will be sentenced on March 23 at 9:30 o'clock. Cuno claims that Lorenz threw a glass of beer in his face.

S. E. Belcher, who was arrested on complaint of Sol Wolf, charged with disturbing the latter's peace by frequent threats and offers to fight, was yesterday discharged by Justice Owens upon a showing of sufficient provocation.

Ellmer Sofe, whose wife, Kate, caused his arrest for failure to provide, was found not guilty, and the charge against him was dismissed. It appeared that Sofe gave the woman sufficient money, but she did not get all that she would have liked.

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G. J. Isaacson, who disturbed the peace by tearing down many and divers signs on Third street, and was arrested therefor, will be tried for the offense today at 2 o'clock. He was released from custody without ball.

Frank Bakeman and Wong Bin, charged with disturbing the peace, appeared before Justice Morrison, with the result that Bakeman received a sentence of five days in jail. Wong Bin was discharged, it being shown that Bakeman was the aggressor.

Matilda Bryant, Tillie Bryantand John Bryant appeared in Justice Owens's court for sentence for disturbing the beace of R. C. Thompson. John and Tillie Bryant, received "floaters" of thirty days each, but Matilda Bryant was sentenced to pay a fine of \$30 or serve an equal number of days in prison.

Kam Di, arrested on January 16

prison.

Kam Oi, arrested on January 16
last for larceny, appeared yesterday
for his preliminary examination. The
prosecuting witness could not be found,
and Justice Owens dismissed the case
and discharged the prisoner. Kam Oi
was charged with abstracting various
articles of clothing from a Chinese
laundry.

Court Los Angeles Entertains. An entertainment was given by Court Los Angeles, No. 422, Independent Or-der of Foresters at I.O.F. Temple last night. Nearly every court in the city was represented. Rev. S. A. Widney acted as master of ceremonies.

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PASADENA BOULEVARD.

ORGANIZATION OF THE COMMIT-TEE COMPLETED YESTERDAY.

rrangements for Proper Surveys.

Matter of Finances—A Temporary Fund to Be Raised—Legal
Difficulties to Be Overcome.

The Pasadena boulevard project is now fairly under way, the organization of the moving spirits having been effected, and definite plans made for the early beginning of active work.

The committee appointed by the Merohants' and Manufacturers' Association for the purposite taking in hand the

for the purpose of taking in hand the construction of the boulevard between Los Angeles and Pasadena, met yesterday afternoon at the rooms of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association. There were present at the meeting, Judge Silent, O. T. Johnson, W. A. Spalding, H. Jevne, L. E. Mosher, R. J. Waters, Gen. Forman, N. B. Blackstone, Kaspare Cohn, and Dr. Le Moyne Wills. J. S. Slauson, the only other member of the committee who was absent, sent a message expressing approval of the proposed work.

The committee was organized by the election of Judge Silent as permanent chairman, and William H. Knight as secretary. By courtesy of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association the meetings of the committee will beheld in the rooms of the association in the Wilcox building.

To distinguish this from the other active committees of the association the name of "Boulevard Committee" was adopted.

The general object to be accomplished was fully discussed, and for the purpose of getting at the sense of the committee of the committee to construct an entirely new road of sufficient width and on the most liberal lines, from a convenient business approach in this city to Pasadena, making ample allowance for driveways, bloycle tracks, etc.

It was suggested as the best mode of solving the engineering questions involved, that the committee invite the coperation of three resident civil engineers, the City Engineer of Los Angeles, the County Surveyor and the City Engineer of Los Angeles, the County Surveyor and the City Engineer of Los Angeles, the County Surveyor and advise the committee to make a preliminary examination of the various possible routes and to report to and advise the committee was authorized to select and extend an invitation to those gentlemen to act and coöperate with the committee. Whereupon, the chairman staked that he would request Fred Eaton to act and coöperate with the committee. Whereupon, the chairman staked that he would request produces and committee was appointed consisting of W. A. Spalding, Gen.

that the cost should be covered by taxation, so as to make the burden fall alike upon all the parties benefited by it.

As to the location of this road through Los Angeles, the country intermediate between it and Pasadena, and into Pasadena, it is possible that the fund to be raised by taxation will give rise to many legal questions. It was therefore suggested that a number of our most prominent attorneys be asked to cooperate with the committee and advise it as to the mode by which the result that the committee desires may be legaly accomplished. A motion was made and carried authorizing the chairman of the committee to invite a committee of lawyers to take the legal questions in hand. In accordance with this Judge Silent appointed Ben Goodrich as chairman, Judge A. W. Hutton, Judge Albert N. Stephens, the City Attorney of Los Angeles, District Attorney of Los Angeles, District Attorney of Pasadena, to act as a Law Committee to solve the necessary problems. It was thought that it will become necessary, on account of the peculiar condition of the law, to carry forward the work by means of three separate districts, one for Los Angeles, under which the work from the beginning of the work in the city of Pasadena. These matters will, however, be determined by the legal gentlemen who have been asked to act in conjunction with the general committee. It was suggested, if possible, that an assessment district be formed for the opening and construction of this boulevard, for which the people along the line shall be taxed in proportion to their holdings, and a small general tax be imposed on the city of Los Angeles and the city of Pasadena. Whether this is possible or not under the state of our present laws, the lawyers appointed will, of course, determine.

The Athletic Club and all bicycle associations are invited to coöperate in this effort to give them a fine read transmitter.

movement.

The Athletic Club and all bicycle associations are invited to coöperate in this effort to give them a fine roadway.

A subscription for \$100 was sent to the committee by F. W. King, of Haws ley, King & Co., without solicitation and even before the committee was organized. A committee of six, consisting of O. T. Johnson, R. J. Waters, L. E. Mosher, Gen. Forman, William H. Knight and Judge Silent was appointed to proceed immediately to Pasadena and secure the cooperation of her people in this movement.

Citrus Tariff Committee. A meeting of the Citrus Tariff Com-mittee has been called at the Chamber of Commerce next Tuesday, March 23, at 1 p.m.

Free Harbor League.

An important meeting of the Free Harbor League will be held at No. 152 North Spring street at 9:30 a.m. to-day,

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PROPERTY-OWNERS WON THEIR POINT FOR DELAY.

They Ask That the Railway Com-Sign the Agreement to Show Good Faith.

MRS. SHIPTON WANTS ELSIE.

GIRL IN COURT.

Martiny's Examination Commenced The Smiths Divorced at Last-The Hignera Seduction Trial-Judge

The Council met yesterday in special matter over until next Monday pending the consideration of an agreement be-tween the street railway people and the property-owners concerned. tion of an oil inspector and his deputy resulted in the election of Stephen Molyneaux and J. F. Fosmir.

At the Courthouse yesterday the Smiths were finally granted a decree of divorce: Judge Van Dyke decided a case over shares in a gas association; Count Albert Otto von Martiny's examination was begun; the Higuera trial was concluded, except for argument, and the Terminal Company took steps to perpetuate certain testimony in re-gard to its title in Inner Bay, Rattlesnake Island and Salt Flats. Mrs. Jessica H. Wright is cited to ap pear before Judge Clark and show cause why letters of guardiansrip granted her in 1895 should not be re-

AT THE CITY HALL.

NEW OIL INSPECTORS.

COUNCIL FILLS THE PLACES PRO-VIDED BY ORDINANCE.

A New Provision to be Added Fixing the Oil License at One Dollar Instead of Fifty Cents After

The Council met yesterday morning in special session, nominally to consider the Daly-street railway question. All the members of the Council were present, and a large crowd of attorneys, street railway men and interested erty-owners crowded the lobby.

W. O'Melveny appeared and said
he had seen that the Council had ordered the City Clerk to readvertise the so-called Allen electric-lighting franchise for sale, but for some rea-son these instructions were not followed. When he had inquired about the matter, he had discovered that the acvertisement had been withheld at the request of some members of the Council. He wanted to know why the Council's instructions had not

Isidore B. Dockweller, representing a number of large property-owners on the main business streets of the city, appeared before the Council and urged the necessity of having all electric wires placed in underground conduits in the central portion of the city. The people he appeared for were not opposed to the use of poles in other than the principal business portion of the city. He urged that the Council begin now to require such provisions to be inserted in all franchises advertised in w to require such provisions to be serted in all franchises advertised in

The explanation of ins course, the City Clerk reported that upon the request in writing and solicitations of several members of the Council, he had with-held from publication the advertise-ment for proposals for the electric-light franchise, until the Council should

Mr. O'Melveny said it was the policy of his clients to avoid the use of poles so far as possible, and at the same time possible to furnish satisfactory lee to their patrons. In the inter-of the public he contended that Council should make it possible for a competing company towenter the

Dr. Dockweiler argued that in any event in future franchises the Council should, make the reservation that at any time that the public good requires it, all overhead wires should be ordered

by the Council put under ground.
On motion of Councilman Blanchard vote by which the readvertisemen of the franchise was observed there was a disposition to refer the matter to the Board of Public Works, but Mr. O'Melveny urged im-mediate consideration. Councilman works, but Mr. O'Melveny urged immediate consideration. Councilman Nickell moved that the readvertisement be made at once with the provision covering the underground conduit system at the order of the Council.

Councilman Hutchison wanted competition even at the risk of innumerable wires and poles and Councilman ble wires and poles and Councilman Grider was of the same mind. Councilman Toll was convinced that

all the necessary safeguards should be established at the start and not neg-lected until the difficulties to be over-come had multiplied. He insisted that come had multiplied. He insisted that it was much safer to prevent the erection of overhead lines of wire at the time street-rallway and electric-light franchises were first considered than when the wires had increased to the point of danger and discomfort.

Councilman Nickell wanted to break a monopoly of lighting and wanted a new company at once, but Councilman Ashman wanted time for consideration of the matter.

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The whole question was finally referred to the Board of Public Works. The Daley-street railway franchise, or more correctly the petition of J. Baldwin et al. that a special privilege be granted to commence the work of laying the street railway on Daly and other streets by the Pasadena and Pacific Company, coming up as special order of business, was taken up.

John D. Pope, attorney for the street railway, said that a verbal agreement had been concluded between the railway authorities and the property-owners. The latter wanted the railway company to transfer their franchise to some other company, but he doubted if such an arrangement would be effected. The company was willing to return its franchise on Griffin avenue to the city. It had also agreed to give a fifteen-minute service instead of a half-hour service, and to stop for passengers at all street crossings.

Frank Flint, appearing for certain property-owners, contended that both sides had come prepared for a hearing, and he insisted that an immediate audience should be granted them by the Council.

Joseph Mesmer presented a petition

Joseph Mesmer presented a petition hich he said represented the wishes a nearly every property-owner contract or resident on the street, and he tallenged Mr. Filmt's right to represent aybody but the street-railway company. After some verbal clashing be-

tween the two President Silver brought them back to the business in hand.

Judge Charles Silent and others argued that the agreement referred to had not been completed, and the citizens insisted that the railway company should show its good faith by first abandoning its franchise for Griffith avenue. There was no undue haste for granting the franchise Moreover, there were more questions to be adjusted than had been mentioned by Mr. Pope before the franchise would be allowed to be granted without opposition on the part of the property-owners. The agreement should be reduced to writing, and in order to have a fuller conference a postponement of two or three days would be needed.

City Attorney Dunn said that under the circumstances it would be absolutely necessary for the Council to defer the matter for the time being. A motion to postpone the question until next Monday was carried.

A communication was received from the City Tax and License Collector ask-

motion to postpone the question until next Monday was carried.

A communication was received from the City Tax and License Collector asking that H. Boettcher be released as surety from his official bond and a new bondsman allowed. A new bond was submitted, bearing the names of W. F. Nordholdt and E. E. Johnson, and a report of the City Clerk as to the eligibility of the suretles, as far as their assessed property. There was some discussion about allowing Johnson to qualify because he was employed in the Tax Collector's office, but City Attorney Dunn stated that was not a matter of vital importance. The bond was approved by the Council, President Silver alone voting in the negative because he believed the usual reference should have been made to the Finance Committee.

A communication was received from

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A communication was received from the Board of Supervisors stating that they had declared vacant the office of manager of the Los Angeles County Free Labor Bureau, and S. M. Perry had been chosen to fill D. J. Carr's place at the head of the bureau.

Councilman Toll said that as the privilege of naming the official in charge of the free labor bureau had been taken away, the Council hereafter should only pay to the maintenance of should only pay to the maintenance of the bureau \$50 a month, as provided by ordinance. He therefore moved that the Finance Committee be instructed to audit no more demands against the

to audit no more demands against the free labor bureau except that of \$50 per month.

On motion of Councilman Mathuss the election of an oil inspector and one deputy as provided by the new ordinance, was next called up. The following nominations were then made: Samuel Molyneaux for inspector by Councilman Mathuss; J. F. Fosmir for deputy by Councilman Baker; D. W. Kilmer for deputy by Councilman Baker; D. W. Kilmer for deputy by Councilman Hutchison; C. C. Rutherford for inspector and W. L. Jones for deputy, by President Silver.

Before the vote was taken, Councilman Toll took the floor and argued that there was good authority for the belief that one man could do all the work that would fall to the inspector's office. He therefore was in favor of appointing but one inspector at that time, leaving the other to be appointed later, if the conditions called for a deputy. In this position he was absolutely unsupported. The ple had been quartered out and was waiting to be served, and the majority of the Councilmen were clearly in no humor to postpone the hour of breaking their fast.

When the vote was called, every Councilman voted for Molyneaux, except President Silver, who stood by Rutherford. The vote for the deputy inspector was divided as follows: For Formir, Councilmen Ashman, Baker, Grider, Mathuss, Nickell and Toll; for Kilmer, Councilmen Blanchard and Hutchison; for Jones, President Silver.

MOTIONS OFFERED.

Councilman Mathuss moved that the

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City Attorney be instructed to draft an ordinance fixing the oil license after an ordinance fixing the oil license after April 1 at \$1 instead of 50 cents. The motion was carried, Councilman Hutch-ison alone voting in the negative. Councilman Toll moved that the City Engineer be instructed to present an ordinance of intention to establish the grade on Howland avenue between Twenty-second and Adams streets. Adopted.

Adopted.

Councilman Nickell moved that the Street Superintendent be instructed to make approaches to the newly-constructed foot-bridge on the south side of Kurtz-street bridge.

Councilman Grider moved that the City Water Company be notified to lay a four-inch water main on San Pedro street from Twenty-ninth to Jefferson streets, while said street is being graded. Adopted.

Hutchison moved that the Health Of-

Hutchison moved that the Health Officer take the necessary steps to have the street sweepings removed from Commercial street and Labory Lane.

Adopted.

The bond of M. M. Levering in the sum of \$1500 for furnishing decomposed granite to the city under contract was approved on motion of Councilman Mathuss. President Silver opposed the unusual haste of the proceeding, and voted in the negative.

The street assessment for grading, raveling, cement sidewalk, curbing graveling, cement sidewalk, curbing and sewering Winston avenue from the east line of Date street to the west line of Avila street is now due. F. C. Han-non is the contractor for the work which amounts to \$1732.24. The work was accepted by the Street Superin-tendent, March 16.

T. S. Palmer has filed a petition to the Council with the City Clerk, ask-ing to have South Truman street graveled, curbed and walked from Downey avenue to the in-tersection of Hellman street under the bond provision of the Vrooman act.

Want a New Sidewalk. Prof. E. T. Price of the Normal School, together with all the teachers and pupils of the school, have filed with the City Clerk a petition to the Coun-cil, asking to have a new sidewalk laid on the north side of Fifth street from Olive street to Grand avenue.

GOLD IN THE OJAI. Rich Lead Discovered Near the

Topotopo Range. Wild excitement reigns in the Oja of rich gold fields at the foot of the Topotopo range. Prospectors are rush-ing in from all directions, and several hundred claims have already been staked out. The ore is said to assay \$25 a ton. The lead is situated on the Green ranch, just at the mouth of Gridley's Canon, in the lower part of

The Chamber of Commerce, as a ody, will not attend the great ratification barbecue at San Pedro. vidual members may go, but the in-vitation came too late to be acted on by the board of directors at the regu-lar meeting Wednesday afternoon.

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(AT THE COURT HOUSE, AFTER HER CHILD.

MRS, SHIPTON WANTS THE CUS TODY OF HER DAUGHTER.

Mrs. Jessica H. Wright Must Show Cause in Court Today Why Her Guardianship of Elsie Shipton Should not Be Revoked.

At 10 o'clock this morning Mrs. Jes sica H. Wright must appear before Superior Judge Clark in Department Two on a citation to produce Elsie Shipton and show cause why the let ters of guardianship for her hereto-fore issued to Mrs. Wright should not be revoked. Mrs. Clara E. Shipton, the mother of the child, filed the petition on

which the citation was made.

Mrs. Shipton alleges in her petition that Mrs. Wright has been systematically hiding the girl from her mother sister and, in fact, all of her family Elsie Shipton is the girl who was the prosecutrix in the trial of Clifton E. Mayne for criminal assault. Mayne was convicted and sentenced to twenty-five years' imprisonment, and his case is now being considered by the Supreme Court on appeal. Mrs. Clara Shipton arrived in the

city yesterday from her home in San Francisco, and is staying at the home in which her daughter, Della, who was also an important witness in the Mayne case, is domiciled. Her story is as

"In February, 1894, Elsie and Della left my home in San Francisco with Clifton E. Mayne, and I have never had Elsie with me since that time. Elsie wanted to go home with me at the time of the preliminary examination, and had I been financially able I would have taken her north. When Della came home in July, 1894, she brought some papers with her from Mrs. Wright which read that Mrs. Wright should have the care of Elsie as long as I wished Elsie to stay with her. These papers I signed on the impulse of the moment, as Mrs. Wright had requested me to do so, and I thought if Mayne were such a bad man as he had been represented to me it would be a good thing for some one to look after my daughter.

"I understood that when I wanted Elsie I could have her, and would not have signed the papers with any other understanding of the matter. These were the only papers ever presented to me on the subject, but Deputy District Attorney Holton told me afterward that Elsie was old enough to appoint her own guardian. At any rate she did so. On one occasion I came down from San Francisco to see Elsie, and went to the Wrights' house to find her. A deputy sheriff met me at the door, and told me I could not see either of the girls without an order from the court. I went to get an order, but after waiting in the District Attorney's office for some time, he being out, I grew tired and went gway. I was shortly afterward arrested and thrown into jail, where I was told I was being held as a witness.

"It has been about a year this month since I have seen Elsie, and I have not had much conversation with her since September, 1895, when Mrs. Wright was appointed her guardian. Mr. Holton and Mrs. Wright's, but not alcne. I have never seen Elsie since the preliminary hearing of the Mayne case, which occurred in August, 1895. The last time I saw Elsie was in the District Attorney's office, and Mr. Holton and Mrs. Wright were presence of Mrs. Wright's, but not alcne. I have made for her retuin to me and I brought this suit because I want my girl

June 1, 1897."

Mrs. Shipton spoke very earnestly while telling her story, but was not positive that she was exactly correct on all the dates she had named. Her trouble in the last few years is aging her rapidly, and her dark hair is becoming streaked with gray.

Della Shipton. Elsie's sister, was also seen; and said: "I have gone a number of times to Mrs. Wright's house to see Elsie but have not been able to see her since nearly a year

able to see her since nearly a year ago. I saw her then for about fifteen minutes in the District Attorney's office in the presence of Holton and Mrs. Wright. One day I went to the door of Mrs. Wright's house and knocked on the door. Mr. Wright came in answer to my knock, and when I asked if I might see Elsie, he said, 'No, you shan't,' and shut the door in my face. I heard some one say in my face. I heard some one say that the Wrights had sent my sister to Glendale, and that she is there

now."

It is the theory of some persons who have followed the Mayne case, and are still at work upon it, that the Wrights have sent Elsie to New York State, but her whereabouts will probably come out in today's proceedings.

MONEY PROPOSITIONS.

Testimony in the Higuera Case
About Settlements.

The trial of Secundino Higuera for
seduction is still taking up Judge
Smith's time and attention in Department One. Yesterday the father of
the prosecutrix testified that there had
been some talk of a money settlement been some talk of a money settlement, and after rigid questioning admitted that things might have been patched up for enough money, but that the up for enough money, but that the chief thing he was after was to get the girl's alleged seducer to marry her. It was admitted by the defense that they had offered \$150 to keep the matter out of court and that the offer had been rejected. Maj. Bell, who was the woman's attorney at the time, testified that he had advised her to marry Higuera, and demand forty acres of land from him to boot. The testimony was all taken by yesterday afternoon, and the arguments will be proceeded with this morning.

SUSTAINED THE DEMURRER.

ludge Van Dyke Decides a Suit Over

Judge Van Dyke rendered an opinion yesterday which decides the suit brought by Jud Saeger, as assignee of the co-partnership of J. B. Myer & Co., insolvent debtors consisting Co., insolvent debtors consisting of J. B. Myers and W. O. Merrill against Thomas C. Ryan and the Los Angeles Gas Saving Association. The action was brought to have it decreed that one hundred shares of the capital stock of the defendant association was the property of the above-mentioned insolvent co-partnership and belongs to Saeger as assignee of the firm, and that the association be enjoined from selling or transferring the aforesald stock.

stock.

In the complaint, which was filed last September, it was alleged that in August last, proceedings were instituted by certain of J. B. Myers & Judge Allen granted Jonathan Hill a judged insolvents, that such proceedings were had, and soon after Saeger was duly appointed as assignee and the such proceedings were had, and soon after Saeger was duly appointed as assignee and the such proceedings were had, and soon after Saeger in his suit against C. D. Davis and MEXICAN leather carver at Campbell's.

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the estate was thereupon transferred to him.

In December, 1896, the defendant Ryan answered, saying that he holds the stock and that it was transferred to him by Myers and Merrill severally, fifty shares belonging to each, but that Merrill's fifty shares had been garnisheed at the instance of the intervenor in this suit, O. P. Taylor. In last January the complaint in intervention was filed by Taylor, to which Saeger has interposed a demurrer.

Judge Van Dyke says in his ruling, "I am of the opinion that the demurrer to the complaint in intervention is well taken, and as the intervenor cannot amend to avoid the objection, leave to amend will be denied. The demurrer is sustained without leave to amend."

FINALLY DIVORCED.

Judge Allen Grants A. F. Smith

Decree for Desertion. A. F. Smith was granted a decree of divorce yesterday from Mrs. Mary S. Smith by Judge M. T. Allen in De-S. Smith by Judge M. T. Allen in Department Six, on the ground of descrition. As the court ruled that Smith's testimony and that of Mrs. Buchanan was not sufficiently corroborative of the allegations, Leon F. Moss, Esq., Smith's counsel, took the stand and swore that Mrs. Smith had once told him she would not live with her husband because she did not love him any longer.

band because she did not love him any longer.

The Smiths and Buchanans were old acquaintances, and lived in the same house. Some time ago Mrs. Smith and Buchanan each brought sult for divorce on the ground of cruelty and were unsuccessful. Twice more Mrs. Smith tried to secure a divorce, and each time falled, Smith contesting each suit, and the trials abounding in nauseating particulars and sensational testimony. Buchanan failed in his suit, but his wife sued for a decree, and was successful.

Cerminal Company Guards Against a Clouded Title.

A petition was filed yesterday by the Los Angeles Terminal Land Company in the matter of the application of the Los Angeles Terminal Land Company to perpetuate the testimony of R. D. Sepulveda, James H. Dodson, George H. Peck, Jr., Mary E. Lindshaw, Fer-dinand Burkle, Henry Baly and E. T. Wright, in regard to the boundaries of Salt Flats, Rattlesnake Island, and the

nner bay at San Pedro.

The petition states that it may be-The petition states that it may become necessary at some future time to establish the changes the boundary lines of the property recently made, the accretions and deposits made to the lands, and other facts connected therewith, in order to protect the company's title in the ownership of the property. The company fears that the above-named persons, who are familiar with all the facts concerning the boundary lines of the land, may die or remove from the State. Wherefore, the company prays for an order of the company prays for an order of the court, making an order allowing the examination of the above-mentioned witnesses and that their depositions be

OF NOBLE EXTRACTION.

unteer Army of America. A young man, who is booked as Count Otto Albert von Martinez, appeared before Justice Young in the Township Court yesterday afternoon, to be examined on a charge of forgery, preferred against him by Marcher, the Broadway jeweler. Marcher's testi-mony and that of his clerk was taken, and the hearing went over until this and the hearing went over until this morning at 9 o'clock. Attorney Copeiand of San Diego is representing the young man and said yesterday that he had received a letter from Martinez's father, which said that Martinez was his son. The elder Martinez is a German noble.

The young man has lived in Hollister about two months, and is captain of the Hollister Post of the Volunteers of America. Hollister speaks well of him, and believe that there must be some mistake in the charge made against him.

Martinez said last night that he never saw Marcher until after his arrest, and was not guilty of the forgery.

FOR COUNSEL FEES.

to Ex-Councilman Hugh Smith. Ex-Councilman Hugh J. Smith filed suit yesterday against Maria Amparo

Ballerino for a judgment of \$500 with interest, which is alleged to be due in the following manner: On March 4, 1896, Mrs. Ballerino was

indebted to J. Marion Brooks in the sum of \$7000, in accordance with her contract with him for services as an attorney and counsel-at-law. On the date before mentioned she gave Brooks her promissory note for \$5500 leaving her promissory note for \$5500, leaving a balance of \$500 due Brooks. This note was secured by a mortgage.

Mrs. Balerino agreed to pay Brooks the \$500 by verbal agreemnt, but has not done so. He assigned the claim to Smith last month, and Smith brings the suit.

FLOTSAM AND JETSAM.

Miscellaneous Driftwood Thrown into the Courts. SUIT ON NOTE AND MORT-GAGE. Will A. Strong filed a suit yesterday against Edgar E. Long, Dora

A. Long et al., for judgment in the sum of \$895.85 alleged to be due on a promissory note, and foreclosure of a mortgage given to secure the same on lot 8 in the Mattison tract. FOR PARTITION OF PROPERTY. Walter L. Wotkyns filed a suit yesterday against Benjamin Marshall Wotkyns and Grosvenor L. Wotkyns for a partition of lot 1 in division A of the James Smith tract, in the Rancha San Pasqual, with, as an appurtenant, one and one-half shares of the capital stock of the Pasadena Land and Water Company. The defendants are minors, and the complaint asks that the property be sold, and the proceeds divided.

TWO PROMISSORY NOTES. A sult was brought yesterday by John C. Hamilton and George Ralphs against William R. Chaffin, Mary A. Chaffin et al., for foreclosure on two promissory notes aggregating \$1500, and mortgages securing the same on real estate in Chatsworth Park.

JUDGMENT QUIETING TITLE.
Judge Van Dyke granted a judgment
for the plaintiff yesterday in the suit
brought by Ball vs. Plato, to quiet
title to certain city lots on Main
street:

DECREE OF FORECLOSURE. In foreclosure suit of Hannah A. the foreclosure suit of Hannah A. Baldwin against Alfred Day, Sr., et al., Judge Van Dyke granted the plaintiff a judgment of \$2305.55, \$100 as counsel fees, and foreclosure of a mortgage on lot 2 of block 6 of the Park tract.

PLEADED NOT GUILTY. L. F. Coyle was brought before Judge Smith yesterday in Department One to plead to a charge of forgery. He pleaded not guilty, and April 2 was set for his trial.

All persons at this particular season, when la grippe and bad colds are so very prevalent, should be especially careful to avoid unusual exposure, and on the appearance of the first symptoms should lose no time in seeking expert medical attention, remembering that weak lungs, permanent disease and fatal consumption result from just this sort of troubles if neglected. If already troubled with weak lungs, then a double necessity exists, if la grippe is contracted, to employ skilled assistance. Dr. W. Harrison Ballard, at No. 464 Stimson Block, this city, is the recognized expert lung specialist, and his remedy and his treatment are effective in preventing tuberculosis in all these cases, and positively cures the disease when developed Let every one affected with any lung trouble consult with him before it is too late. Consultation free. Call at the office and investigate his methods and cures, or confer with any one of the following cured patents: R. S. Dyas, No. 404 Broadway.

John Milton, 713½ W. Jefferson street.

Mrs. A. E. Torrey, 1232 W. 24th street.



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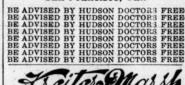
Loss of Sleep WHEN A MAN TOSSES IN BED ALL night and is unable to sleep until the wee small hours in the morning, he finds himself getting weaker and weaker daily. He will have pains in the back, pains in the shoulder, bleary, blood-shot eyes, and he will be melancholy. He will start at the least noise; he will be subject to the whims and fancies of an irritated man. When in this condition it shows abuse; the man has abused himself; has overworked or overworked the mind and body. When in this condition the man needs a sure and rational treatment. He will find

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C. E. Judge. C. E. Judge was allowed a judgment of \$200 on a cross-complaint against Davis and foreclosure of a second mortgage on the same

DIVORCE GRANTED. Mrs. Minnie E. Fowle, an employé in the Call agency, was granted a divorce yesterday by Judge York in Department Three, on the ground of desertion.

EJECTMENT AND DAMAGES. In the case of the Southern Pacific Company vs. Miss L. L. Lance. Judge Clark rendered a judgment yesterday for the plaintiff as prayed. The action was a suit for the ejectment of Miss Lance from a lot on the Ocean Beach at Santa Monica, and \$500 damages for her unlawful detention of the property.

FORECLOSURE OF TRUST DEED. The Los Angeles Safe Deposit and Trust Company has instituted an action against the Pasadena and Mt. Wilson Railway Company, and other attaching creditors, to foreclose a trust deed given October 24, 1892, to secure an issue of bonds to the extent of \$500,000, and for a judgment directing the sale of the entire property owned by the company.

TO APPOINT RECEIVER. Peter Cazes filed a sult yesterday against Irving Carl, A. N. Hamilton J. B. Clas and George le Mesnager, for ap-pointment of a receiver for their copartnership, formed for conducting an

FORECLOSURES ON LIENS. W. O. Newcomb filed two suits yesterday, one against I. R. Dunkelberger, and the other against B. Forschner, both for foreclosures of street assessment llens for \$9.15 and \$29.25, respectively, with costs.

A SMOOTH GAME. Ten Cents to Go In and Two Dollars

Deputy Constable Joe Mugnemi went down to North Main street and succeeded in breaking up what seems like a remarkably smooth "skin" game. A young man named Tino Curell came up to the Constable's office with a peup to the Constable's office with a peculiar tale. He said that he had paid 10 cents to enter a small menagerie on North Main street, and while there was induced by a man who was evidently a "capper" to go behind a screen where they found a woman telling fortunes. The "capper" suggested that they both have their fortunes told, and thinking that it was part of the show, Curell accepted. When the woman had gazed at their hands, and mumbled some words over it, she demanded \$2. This the "capper" promptly paid, but Curell demurred. Threats against his safety were made, and he was finally induced to put up 75 cents. As soon as he was allowed to depart, he swore out a complaint against the woman, whose named turned out to be Mme. Edwards, and Mugnemi arrested the woman at her place on Main street.

Only a few days ago a man came to Officer Cox and told him a similar story, saying that the "cappers" offered to do him violence if he would not put up the dollars demanded. Officer Cox advised the man to swear out a complaint against the people but the man refused. When the woman was arrested, she was brought to the Police Station, where a friend put up sufficient money for her appearance this morning. culiar tale. He said that he had paid

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property.

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As our mammoth spring stock is here and have no table room to display them

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SAN PEDRO STREET RAILWAY

PROPOSED BOULEVARD TO PASADENA.

operty-owners Along the Route Ready to Lend Encouragement Real Estate and Building in

The local real estate market still continues quiet, and transactions are mostly confined to small trades. There is some demand for choice inside property on part of investors, but agents ex-perience difficulty in finding property of perience dimensity in mading property of this description that will pay a fair in-terest on the investment. Holders of such property appear to have ample confidence in the future, and are in many cases disposed to discount the profits of the next few years. A SAN PEDRO-STREET RAILWAY.

A franchise has been asked of the Council for a street railroad on San Jedra street. This is, perhaps, the most mportant thoroughfare in the city that s not yet provided with a street railvay. Such a line would not only do a large amount of traffic from the be-ginning, but would also tap several cross lines on the route. The Council cross lines on the route. The Council should exercise great care in granting this important franchise. It should be provided that the route shall be double tracked for the whole distance, and that a frequent service shall be furnished, with a complete system of transfers to other lines. The importance of this fronchise is increased by the fact that San Pedro, and it is more than likely that such a line would be extended before long.

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The suggestion that work should be furnished to the unemployed in constructing a first-class boulevard from Los Angeles to Pasadena has been received with much favor by the property-owners along the route, which is not surprising, as the present route between the two places is altogether unsatisfactory, being dusty in summer and muddy in winter, with a superabundance of chuckholes.

There should be very little trouble about raising the necessary means to construct this boulevard, as there are so many classes of people who are, directly or indirectly, interested in the work. To begin with, there are the owners of property along this route, whose land would be greatly improved in value by the construction of such a boulevard. Then there are the liverymen of Los Angeles and Pasadena, who are certainly out and injured to the extent of thousands of dollars every year through the present miserable thoroughfare that passes for a public highway between the two cities. The wheelmen of both cities would certainly be glad to contribute to the expense of the improvement, as such a road would make an ideal bloycle path, the distance not being too great for the most easy-going amateur, while at the same time it would afford the opportunity for a nice little spin, to the professional. Then there are the citizens who have occasion to drive between Los Angeles and Pasadena, or some of the suburban cities, and who are frequently forced to use strong language by the present condition of the road. If to these classes are added the city governments of Los Angeles and Pasadena, and the county Supervisors, all of whom would doubtless be willing to contribute something toward such an improvement, and when it is considered that the work may now be done at a very low price by the unemployed, there surely should not be much hesitation about commencing the work.

REAL ESTATE AND BUILDING. Dun's Review, of recent date, con Dun's Review, of recent date, con-tains an interesting article on building, in relation to business and population founded upon tables given in the Real Estate Guide. In opening the article the Review thus refers to the real estate

"The real estate market is like no other. It deals with property which cannot have any definite quotation, since it is scarcely possible to find any two pleces of that property which have precisely the same value. A pound of graded cotton is in value equal to every other pound of the same grade, and so the ton of Bessemer pig, or a yard of certain cloth, but prices of real estate vary in value in different sections, in different streets of the same section, and even on the same street. Proximity to a corner, to cars, or elevated lines or ferries affect them, and proximity to desirable or undesirable neighbors, and especially the tendency of public preference toward or away from certain districts. It is a property unlike any other, in having an investment value often without any earning power, and on the contrary an earning power, and on the contrary an earning power for the time often without corresponding value for long investment. No other single cause affects it so much as the constant growth of the city on one hand, and the constant increase in number of structures to supply residence or business demands on the other. An examination of the subject naturally starts, therefore, with inquiry as to the extent and character of building in recent years, and its relation to the growth of business and prosperity."

The following figures are printed showing the compartively large buildings erected in New York for the past six years and their cost:

No. Stories. Cost. market:
"The real estate market is like no

BUILDING. The Builder and Contractor notes the colowing uncontracted new work: Plans are being prepared for the remodeling of the present church building of the First German Methodist Episcopal Church, on Fourth street, between Hill and Broadway.

Deputy Constable Delamonte is about to erect a two-story dwelling on Beaudry avenue and Temple street; cost about \$2000.

Plans are being prepared for three eight-room and two flats of five rooms each, to be erected on Pico street; to cost \$4500.

MORTGAGES AND RELEASES.

The Investor publishes the follow-ng statement of mortgages and re-eases for the week ended March 18: 340 transfers, aggregating.......\$249,983.81 109 transfers for nominal consid-

erations,
93 mortgages on city
property \$39,147.61
88 mortgages on country
property 74,811.50 7 releases of city prop-\$140,160.42 \$173,959.11

BUILDING PERMITS BUILDING PERMITS.
The following permits of \$2000 and over were issued by the City Superintendent of Buildings:
William J. Chichester, two-story dwelling, Twenty-eighth street, between Key West and Hoover streets; \$4000.

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Mrs. J. M. Rankin, two-story dwelling, Twenty-eighth street between Key West and Hoover; \$6000.

William H. Masser, two-story dwelling, Bush street, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth; \$2500.

James V. Akey, three brick stores, with hall above, for societies, southeast corner Central and Vernon avenues; \$4000.

H. C. Brunner, move house to front of lot and add eight rooms, west Twenty-Fourth street, between Adams and Washington; \$3000.

IN MEMORIAM.

Santa Fe Directors Mourn the Death

of K. H. Wade. A special meeting was held yester-day by the board of directors of the Southern California Railroad at which W. G. Nevin was formally elected to succeed the late K. H. Wade as general manager of the road. After the routine business which followed the election, the assitant secretary was directed to

manager of the road. After the routine business which followed the election, the assitant secretary was directed to spread upon the minutes the following memerial resolution:

"Whereas, on Friday, the twelfth day of March, 1897, Kirtland H. Wade, general manager of this company, and a member of its board of directors, was called from his, post of duty to his final home and rest; and whereas, we desire to preserve for all time to come, upon the records of the Southern California Railway Company, this expression of our high appreciation of our late associate, and our sympathy for the wife and daughter who are left to mourn him with a grief surpassing that of all others; now therefore, be it "Resolved, by the board of directors of the Southern California Railway Company, at its special session of March 18, 1897, that we hereby testify our belief that a noble soul has responded to that last call with the loyal and ready willingness with which he has met and anticipated, the daily calls of duty and friendship. With a broad and comprehensive grasp of situations, and an unswerving devotion to the large interests entrusted to his care he has made the prosperity of this railway reflected in the prosperity of all Southern California, and his is a loss the entire community mourns. A master of all the varied and intricate details, of railway service, he brought the highest efficiency and economy, into the operations of the roads of which he had charge, while ever watchful to develop and expand the resources of the communities they served. A life career of progress in his chosen field, from boyhood enlistment as operator, step by step to the management, had brought him into close touch with the army of workers in the railway world, generating an ever-present sympathy with the humblest, and establishing a commanding position in the ranks of the brightest railway men of the country. His life of usefulness is over, but its lessons of self-denial, rigid devotion to duty, and broad encouragement of all that is best in life are w day."
Our assistant secretary is directed to send a copy of this memorial to Mrs. Wade.

BANCHO LA JOLLA.

Suit Brought to Confirm the Mex-

ican Grant.
Today in the United States District Court the case of Jesus Machado Apis vs. the United States will come

to trial.

The suit is brought to confirm the grant made by Gov. Pio Pico in 1845, of two square leagues of land to José and Pablo Apis. The land was known as Ranch la Jolla, and the men were two Mission Indians, who lived unon it. José Apis died without children, and the heirs of Pablo are now petitioning for confirmation of the grant to them. The land lies in San Diego county. The case was transferred from Sah Francisco.

FULKERSON CONVICTED. Used the Mails to Further a Lottery

Used the Mails to Further a Lottery Scheme.

J. L. Fulkerson has come to grief upon the rock of a second trial. He was yesterday found guilty by the jury in the United States District Court of having used the mails to further his ingenious lottery schemes. The first trial resulted in an acquittal because of the difficulty in proving that Fulkerson had actually mailed the illegal matter upon which the indictment was based. The second indictment was supported by three postal cards in Fulkerson's own handwriting, which referred directly to the scheme. The missing link of proof thus being supplied, a verdict of guilty was brought in.

Work Wanted.

The Executive Committee on Work for the Unemployed Women of this city, are now prepared to fill orders for sewing of all kinds—children's clothes, undergarments, household articles and mending. They have a list of seamstresses who have been tried and can be recommended as doing good work. Women can be furnished for day work or to take work home. Let orders be sent to No. 313 South Broadway as soon as possible.

MRS. T. D. STIMSON, Chairman of Committee on Sewing.

SUNDAY WHALE TRAINS.

A rare chance to see the great whale at Point Firmin, San Pedro, and the outer harbor. Hills are green and beautful. The Southern Pacific, only direct line to San Pedro, and only line to the outer harbor. Sunday trains leave Arcade depot, 8, 9, 10 a.m., 12:40, 1:40 p.m., Returning, last train will leave San Pedro, 6:20 p.m. Round trip, 56 cents.

THE OBSERVATION CAB
Around the Kite-shaped track leaves Los Angeles 8 a.m., Pasadena 8:27 a.m., returning at 6:05 p.m. A stop is made at both Rediands and Riverside for sight-seeing. Particulars at Santa Fé ticket offices.

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25° TO \$1.00 Ladies' Pure Spun Silk Mitts, medium and extra large sizes; Selling at 25c to \$1.00 per pair.

-Ladies' Black and Colored Spun Silk Gloves, 6-button length, extra fine Milanese silk, this is a genuine 50c quality; Selling at 35c.

65e-Ladies' 2-clasp and 4-button Glace Kid Gloves in white, corn, lemon, tan and brown shades, these are regular \$1 gloves in broken lines; Selling at 65c.

-We are showing a large variety of Ladies' Kid Gloves in buttons, clasps and mousquetaire, all sizes, regular prices \$1 and \$1.25; Selling at 95c.

121c AND 15c-Ladies' Vests, made of fine Egyptian cotton, low neck, no sleeves, taped necks and arms, well finished, in white or Ecru; Selling at 121/c and 15c.

-Ladies' Vests and Pants, made of the finest quality of Egyptian yarn. The Vests come in high neck, long or short sleeves; V neck, short sleeves; V neck no sleeves. Pants to match, knee or ankle length, in white or Ecru; Selling at 25c. 2c-Children's Fast Black Cotton Hose, imported, double heels and

toes. A nice medium weight for girls; also boys' extra heavy Bicycle Ribbed Hose, double heels and toes, fast black, These goods are good value for 25c; Selling at 15%c.

-Ladies' Cotton Hose in black or tan, plain Richellen and 4-1 ribbs, double heels and toes, in all the latest shades of browns and tans for the spring season; selling at 25c. TO \$1.00—Ladies' Muslin Skirts, made of a good heavy muslin, plain cambric or hemstitched ruffles, cut in the late umbrella or gored patterns; Selling at 50c to \$1.00.

TO \$3,25—We are now showing a complete line of Ladies' Em-broidery Trimmed Muslin Skirts in the extra wide umbrella cuts, deep yoke bands, well made and finished throughout, in all lengths; Selling at 75c to \$3.25,

20° TO \$1.00—Ladies' Corset Covers, made of muslin or cambric, plain or trimmed, in V neck, round neck, high neck, and square neck, finished with embroidery or lace edgings; Selling at 20c

-Ladies' Plain Corset Covers, with round neck and short puff sleeves, just the thing to wear under light shirt waists, well made and finished with felled seams; Selling at 50c.

35° and 50c- Men's Overshirts in cheviots, percales, ginghams, black sateen, madras and twilled cloths, cut extra full and long and made with deep yokes, banded collar and pearl buttons; Will be offered at 85c and 50c each.

-Men's Unlaundered White Shirts, made of Utica Mills' muslin and have pure linen bosoms and wrist bands, reinforced backs and fronts, felled seams throughout, all sizes from 14 to 1714, with assorted sleeve lengths; will be offered at 50c each.

Men's Jersey Ribbed Underwear, made of the best Egyptian cot-ton, shirts hawe French collarettes and full finished seams, drawers are full finished and have double-spliced web seats and adjustable waist bands, medium and summer weight; Will be offered at 50c garment.

-Men's Light-weight Natural Wool Underwear. Shirts have \$1.00 -Men's Light-weight Natural Wool Underwear. Shirts have fine grosgrain silk facings and full finished seams; drawers are full finished, have spliced seats of light wool web, and are deeply faced with fine French silesia; a splendid line for Spring

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Our Clothing for Boys has that individuality, character and style that catches a mother's eye at once. As far as we know we are the only Los Angeles store that is completely ready with spring stocks, Boys' Suits from \$1.50 upward to \$10. All the very newest shadings in brown and other stylish color effects. Perhaps no store in Los Angeles can equal our display of Boys' Shirts and Fancy Shirt Waists. There is everything, from the most sturdy and substantial Cheviot up to the dashing Silks and Linen goods. Specially Nobby Long-Pant Suits for the young fellows who can no longer be counted as boys.





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Of the Greatest Shoe Values ever made on this continent. Cash bought them at pinched prices for less than half their cost of making. We pass this great advantage on to you. Here is a hint of what a little money will do at the Mammoth.



Ladies' Dongola Kid Shoes, button or lace, new coin or pointed toes, patent leather tips, spring or common-sense heels, and better than any

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Just received, another remarkable bargain in Silk Skirts, similar to the lot we placed on sale about three weeks ago.

Brocaded Grosgrain Satin Figured Skirts, \$8 value, will be sold, each.....

Brocaded Grosgrain and Satin \$9.00 and \$10.00 Skirts, beautiful designs, each.... Moire Velour Skirts, extra quality material, plum colors and black, \$12.00 and \$15.00 each....

These Skirts are all lined throughout with Moire Percaline and made up in first-class manner.

NOTE .- Just received a new line of Ladies' Neckwear, in Silk and Satin Bows, String Ties, Satin Stocks and Collars, suitable to wear with the new silk and cotton shirt waists,

N. B. Blackstone Co.

171 and 173 N. Spring St.

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Parisian Cloak and

221 South

Spring St....

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All finished with velveteen and lined through-

Small Figured Black Billiantine Skirts; ON SALE TODAY.... \$1.10 Plain Black

ON SALE TODAY ... \$1.49 Brilliantine Skirts; ON SALE TODAY....\$1.98 Shepard Plaid Skirts

in all shades; ON SALE TODAY... Fine Large Figured brocaded silk Skirts; \$5.39 ON SALE TODAY...

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Petroleum.

Grain and Produce.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta ... 3 Gould & Curry .30 Alpha Con 5 Hale & Nor. 86 Andes 18 Kentuck Con 1 Belcher 18 Mexican 27 Best & Belcher 67 Occidental Con 15 Bullion 10 Ophir 90 Caledonia 11 Ophir 90 Caledonia 11 Overman 8 Challenge Con 34 Potosi 33 Chollar 100 Savage 29 Confidence 75 Slerra Nevada 25 Con Cal. & Va. 120 Sliver Hill Con. Imperial 1 Union Con 27 Con New York 1 Utah Con 5 Crown Point 20 Yellow Jacket 26 Exchequer 2 Troduce Receipts.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—Flour, quar-

Produce Receipts.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—Flour, quarter sacks, 11,010; wheat, centals, 1950; barley, centals, 5660; corn, centals, 1660; rye, centals, 380; potatoes, sacks, 4936; onlons, sacks, 473; bran, sacks, 144; middlings, sacks, 173; hay, tons, 470; straw, tons, 32; wool, bales, 259; hides, number, 419; quicksilver, flasks, 12; wine, gallons, 17,900.

Callboard Sales.

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SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—Wheat, inactive; December, 1,17%; May, 1,35%. Barley, weaker; December, 70%; May, 72%. Corn,
large yellow, 821/685; California bran, 12.00@
12.50.

Benns.

SAN FRANCISCO. March 18.—Beans—Pink, 1.10@1.25; Lima, 1.75@2.00; small white, 1.10@ 1.20; large white, 1.05@1.15.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—Silver bars, 62%; Mexican dollars, 50½@51; drafts, sight, 15; telegraph, 17½.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

THURSDAY, March 18, 1897.

(Figures in parentheses, unless otherwise stated, give volume and page of miscellaneous records containing recorded maps.)

Mary Miller, et con, to Isabel M Gohn, lot 10, block C, replat of Thomas & Wotkyn's of the H G Bennett tract, Pasadena, \$300.

University: Bank of Los Angeles to the Olive-Growers' Association, fractional block 125, in the Maclay Rancho ex Mission, \$900.

E Mahar to Gustave Falk, lot 4, block 89, of Charles T Healey's survey of 1882, also lots 14 and 25 of Peck's subdivision of 1882, also lots 14 and 25 of Peck's subdivision of block 37, San Pedro, \$4500.

John Lund to George W Lyles, lots 1 and 24, of Peck's subdivision in San Pedro, \$1500.

Frank A Gibbon, trustee, to Bessie A Long, 10257 of Grider & Dow's Adams-street tract, \$500.

Henry G Wilson, et ux., to E L Haney, lot

SUMMARY.

THREE NIGHTS TO CHICAGO.

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You can't do it in less than five any oth

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ubscribe The Argonaut

BURKE BROS., 456 S. Spring.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—The official losing quotations for mining stocks today

BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

OFFICE OF THE TIMES, Los Angeles, March 18, 1897.
INVESTMENTS IN OIL. Among the Los Angeles, March 18, 1897.

INVESTMENTS IN OIL. Aniong the encouraging openings for investment in this section, which have so far been little availed of, is the oil inclustry. Hitherto the development of oil in this section has been carried on in a more or less slipshod manner, either by individuals, or by companies of very limited means. It is somewhat surprising that an industry which has added \$1,000,000 to the wealth of Southern California during the past year has not attracted more attention ow part of capitalists. As far as oil development inside the city limits is concerned, there is little in this to offer inducements to capital, because the wells have to be bored so near together out of proportion to the profits. There are, however, inviting fields lying outside the city limits, where there is every indication of a good supply of oil, needing only to be devloped. Just now some work in this line is being done in the neighborhood of Fullerton, Whittier and Puente, but there is room for much more in the same line. The cost of a test well, when divided among the stockholders of a company, is comparatively insignificant, in comparison with the profits that may be expected, provided oil is struck in paying quantities.

commercial.

California Wheat. A report was recently issued by the California State Agricultural Society, containing some pertinent comments upon our leading agricultural industries, from which it may be seen that, in spite of the advances made by horticulturists during the past few years, wheat and barley are still likely to hold an important position among the products of the State.

The outlook for wheat has entirely changed during the past year. America is now called upon to furnish wheat for foreign countries which only recently promised to destroy the wheat-growing industry of the United States. It is now more fully demonstrated than ever that the safety of the soil-worker lies in his adherence to the production of staple food articles. These form the basis of agriculture, and, as prices are regulated by supply and demand, his returns will be equalized accordingly. Recent returns show that the wheat crop of Australia for the present harvest—ending in April—will fall so short as to change her position as an exporter to an importer, and that she will need at least 5,000,000 bushels to supply her own consumers. Heretofore she has exported upwards of 12,000,000 bushels. This condition of afairs will benefit California, as we will be called upon to supply the larger portion of the 17,000,000 bushels covering her demand and deficit export. Then, again, the shipments of breadstuffs from San Francisco during the last six months of 1896 were the largest since 1891. This fact shows clearly the rapid absorption of our stock. It will require several years with favorable crops to accumulate any great surplus, and with the exhaustion of soils that have been devoted exclusively to wheat, it is quite apparent that the growing of wheat for the next few years will be a profitable venture.

TRUSTS AND MIDDLEMEN. The TRUSTS AND MIDDLEMEN. The American Cultivator thinks that the ac-tion of the Lexow Committee in in-vestigating the Sugar Trust in New York may have an effect wholly dif-ferent from what was expected. The

Cultivator says:
"It can hardly be counted criminal even for a trust to do away with job bers by giving to retail grocers as low prices for equal quantities of sugar as they gave to jobbers. These middlemen are often a necessary evil, and their right to be engaged in their business

are often a necessary evil, and their right to be engaged in their business must always depend upon the necessity for their aid. Whenever they can be dispensed with, out they are sure to go. It is the tendency, and a most wholesome one, in all kinds of business to dispense with whatever does not materially contribute to its success. The competition to which business men are subjected makes this imperative. Whoever maintains and operates ineffective machinery must be distanced in the race for success.

"Trust have plenty of sins to answer for without including this among them. It is only when, by crushing out competition, they enable themselves to make extortionate profits that they become the oppressors of the public. All that they do in making production cheaper by improved and labor-saving process helps to supply the public more cheaply with the necessaries of life. Even this often bears oppressively upon individuals and classes, but as it makes possible a much cheaper supply to the public of their products the public makes possible a much cheaper supply to the public of their products the pub-lic does not complain. What the public has a right to object to is the unfair competition, sometimes selling far be-low cost for a time until producers with smaller capital are forced into bankruptcy, and their product bought at bankrupt sales makes the trust masat bankrupt sales makes the trust master of the community without a rival. Then prices are put up as much higher as they had before been depressed, and the trust is more powerful than ever. "This inheres so closely to modern ways of doing business that it can hardly be avoided. The lesson how to do this was first taught in the drygoods business by A. T. Stewart, who built up his vast fortune in this way, It was ill-gotten wealth. Its entire obtiliteration, so that even the name of billiteration. diteration, so that even the name of its possessor is only a memory in the city where it was once all-powerful, shows

literation. so that even the name of its possessor is only a memory in the city where it was once all-powerful, shows how little permanence can be expected for wealth thus acquired. But in most cases the power which destroys rightful competition is wielded by a combination of capitalists, no one of whom could exercise such power himself. Combinations used for such purposes can be better reached by anti-conspiracy laws than in any other way.

"But very different from this is the business economy that does away with the jobber, especially when, in this case, it is done by giving the retail dealer the lower prices out of which the jobber made his profits. That makes a lower price of the product to the consumer, and thus benefits every-body. So long as the middleman is a help to the consumer together, his function is as useful as that of the producer. But every improvement in means of communication makes the middleman less necessary. If he understands this as he should, he will prepare himself for the conditions which may at any time occur, when his work will be no longer necessary, and he will be out of a job.

"This is the source of difficulty in enforcing anti-trust laws. Much that the trust does in making production less expensive is beneficial to the general public. Therefore the wholesale denunciation of the trusts so often heard is a serious mistake. Let them alone so long as they are not oppressive. Nor should the fact that at some period in their existence the trust is extremely profitable count against it. In the changes of business that are always occurring its turn for losing must surely come. It is the nature of trusts after a certain run of success to disintegrate. More than half of those in existence a few years ago have collapsed, and their attempt to restrain free competition in production has proven a failure. This has been done with very little attempt on the part of the government. It is very doubtful whether these laws have so far done any good all that it is possible to accomplish can be bette

cion of the most flagrant cases under laws against conspiracy that have al-ways be en on the statute book in all the

THE NEW COMPRESSED FUEL Referece was recently made in this column to new fuel manufactured in column to new fuel manufactured in this city, of eucalyptus leaves and crude oil, compressed in the form of bricks. The inventor of this fuel has recently addled to his plant a horse-power cutting machine. As soon as a modern press can be secured the yard will be run to its fullest capacity. The manufacturer says that he now has more orders on hand than can be supplied, orders coming as far as San Diego. The fuel gives out a good heat, and burns for quite a llength of time. It is now retailed at 50 cents per sack.

cents per sack.

GOLD MINES NEAR HOME. The recent find of what is said to be a remarkably rich gold mine, within the city limits of Yuma, once more ilustrates the truth of the statement that it is not necessary to go a long way off to discover a good gold mine. The ledge in question has been tramped over by thousands of people for years. Such discoveries as this are frequently made in old settled districts. In fact, there would seem to be more chance to strike a good thing in mines in a section that has been worked over, and has no boom, that in one of the new camps, where everything "out of doors" has been located.

LOCAL PRODUCT MARKETS.

Wholesale Quotation is Revised Daily LOS ANGELIES, March 18, 1897.
There was another drop today in the prices of certain grades of butier. Provisions.

Provisians.

Hams—Per lb. Rex, 12; boneless, 8½; boneless butts, 8½; sedected "mild cure," 9½; skinned, 11; picnic, 5½.

Pickled Pork—Per hair bbl., 80 lbs., 8.00.
Bacon—Rex breakfast bacon, 10; Diamond C, special fancy wrapped, 11½; Diamond C, plain wrapped, 11; Diamond C, breakfast backs, 7½; light medium, 3½; medium, 7; clear bellies, 7½; short clears, 6½; clear backs, 6½.

Sausage—5@7; New England cooked ham, 8½.

Saturage—v. rew assault color state.

Lard—Rex, Pure Leaf, tierces, 64; kettle rendered, in faney 50-lb. tubs, 64; lvory lard compound, 54; Rexolene, 5%; White Label lard, tierces, 6%.

Dry Salted Pork—Per lb., clear bellies, 7½; short clears, 7; clear backs, 6½.

Beans. Beans—Lady Washington, 1.50@1.65; navy, 7.5@1.80; pinks, 1.60@1.70; Limas, 2.50@2.75; black-eyed, 1.25@1.50; peas, 2.50@3.00.

Dried Fruits.

Apples—Evaporated, 6½@7½. Apricots—7@10. Peaches—Per lb., unpecled, 6@9; pecled, 12½ @15. Prunes-Per lb., sacks, 5@8; Argonauts, 9; Imperial, 11. Raisins-Per lb., 5@7; fancy bleached, 10@

12½. Dates—Per lb., 6½@7½. Honey and Beeswax. Honey—Comb, amber, 11; white, 12. Beeswax—Per ib., 20@22. Vegetables.

Squash-1.50. Beans-8@9.

Squasa-1.09.

Peans-204.

Peats-Per 100 lbs., 75.

Cabbage-Per 100 lbs., 75.090.

Chlies-Dry, per atring, 50,060; Mexican, per lb., 15; green, 6.

Garlic-34.

Onions-Per 100 lbs., 2.25,02.50.

Potatoes-Per 100 lbs., River Burbanks, 1.00

Ø1.10 per sack; Nevada Burbanks, 1.15,01.25;

Salinas Burbanks, 1.100,1.15; sweet, 1.00,01.25;

Early Rose, 1.20,01.25

Turnips-Per sack, 75.

Tomatoes-1.00(1.10.

Radishes-15.

Rhubarb-1.00.

Lettuce-16.

Hay-Best barley, 8.00@10.00; best oat, 10.00 @11.00; alfalfa, baled, 6.00@8.00; wheat and oat, 9.00@11.00.

Butter. Butter—Local creamery, 30; fancy Coast, 30 @32½; dairy, 2-lb. squares, 27½@30; lightweight squares, 22½@27½; fair to good, 20@24; creamery, in tubs, 15@18.

Millstuffs. Bran-Per ton, local, 17.00; northern, 18.00. Shorts-Per ton, 19.00. Rolled Barley-Per ton, 15.00.

Lemons-Extra fancy Eureka and Lisbon, 1.25@1.75; uncured, fancy, 1.25; limes, 50; Cranges-Seedlings, 90@1.35; navels, 1.75@1.28.

2.25. Pears—Winter Nellis, 1.75@2.00. Apples—Per box, 1.25; fancy, 1.50@1.75; gastern, in barrels, 3.50@4.00. Bananas—1.75@2.00. Strawberries—12@14. Flour.

Flour. Los Angeles XXXX flour, 5.00 per bbl.; Capitol, 5.00; northern, 5.40; full super fine, 4.50; eastern, 6.25; Washington, 3.75; raham, 2.50.
Rolled Oats—Per bbl., 4.75@5.00.
Rolled Wheat—Per bbl., 3.00.
Cornmeal—1.60.
Wheat—1.50@1.60.
Hides and Wool.

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Hides—As they run, 11; kip, 9; calf, 14½: bulls, 6.

Wool-2½@4½.
Tallow-1½@2½.

Poultry.

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Hens-4.00@5.00; young roosters, 4.00@5.00; old roosters, 3.75@4.00; broilers, 3.00@3.50; ducks, 4.50@5.50.

Turkeys-Live, 14@15.

Cheese.

Cheese—Local, large, 10½; Young America 11½; hand cheese, 12½; Coast-made full cream, 9@10; Swiss, imported, 25; American, 14@16; Limburger, 13@15.

Fresh Ments. tchers' prices for wholesal) carcasett Mutton—5½; lambs, 6. Dressed Hogs—6.

Eggs. Eggs-California fresh ranch, 11@11½. Hogs-Per cwt., 3.25@3.3714. Beef Cattle—2.50@3.00. Lambs-Per head, 1.50@1.75. Sheep-Per cwt., 1.75@2.50.

NEW YORK MARKETS. Stocks and Bonds.

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[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

NEW YORK. March 18.—The course of some of the stocks in today's market was extremely irregular, but an undertone of strength was manifeste, d in the railway list particularly. The net result of the day's transactions was a gain of a fraction in most cases. The dealings were characterized at times by great activity. The diminution of business upon any tendency toward a decline in prices was noticeable and it has been for some time past. The volume of dealings was large, the aggregate of the stock sold reaching 276,000 shares. This has not been equalled in the exchange since last fail, with one exception. The dealings were fairly well distributed. Notwithstanding the strong undertone able spots for attended by profit taking the advance was attended by profit taking the advance was attended by profit taking the market developed marked strength throughout, pool buying beling evident at various point and the shorts showing obvious anxiety to cover, some of the unusually active stocks were included in the range of activity. Pacific Mail enjoyed a fash of 1% on the arrival at San Francisco of the overdue steamer Peru Sugar was heavily-bought by traders, though some sold by some of those indentified with the inside interest. This stock rose 1% to 115½, and reacted to 114¼ on the news of a general reduction in refined sugar. An effective raid was made on the market after 2 o'clock, some industrials and anthractic coalers being selected for attack. The closme of the market was consequently weak.

The bond market displayed an improved tone generally, although marked recessions were scored in a few cases, notably Atchlson, Colorado and Pacific firsts, which yielded 2½. The sales were \$11,240,000. Governments were \$3000.

garding the bill and professed to be in the dark as to its details, and are awaiting intelligence regarding it with interest in order to judge its probable effects on the market.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

Am. Express ..112
Baltimore & O. 15½
Can. Pacific ... 51
Can. South ... 51
Can. South ... 51
Can. South ... 54
Ches. & Ohlo... 18
Chicago Alton ... 165
C... B. & Q..... 17%
Chicago Gas ... 78%
Con. Gas ... 1584 Chicago Alton 165
C. B. & Q. 17%
Chicago Cas 78% Reading ... 22%
Con. Gas ... 158% U. S. Rubber. 15
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Cot. Old Cer. 11½ R. G. W. pfd. 38½
Del. Hudson 109%
D. L. & W. 155
D. & R. G. 10
D. & R. G. 16
D. & R. G. 16
D. & R. G. 16
St. Paul 17%
St. Paul 16
Great N. pfd. 120
C. & E. Ill. pfd. 93
Hocking Val 3%
Fort Wayne 161
Great N. pfd. 120
Am. S. pfd. 103%
Hocking Val 3%
Hillinois Cen 96
St. Paul & D. 10
K. & T. pfd. 95
Hocking Val 3%
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L. E. & W. 161½
U. S. Express. 35
L. E. & W. 161½
U. S. Express. 35
L. E. & W. 161½
U. S. Express. 10
Louis. & N. A. 44
W. Union Pacific 6%
Louis. & Nash 49¼
W. W. L. E. pfd. 49½
Louis. & Nash 49¼
W. W. L. E. pfd. 14%
Louis. & Nash 49¼
W. W. L. E. pfd. 49%
Man. Con 855%
Minn. & St. L. 19
Moolle & Ohio. 20%
C. F. & I. pfd. 90
Nash. Chatt 66
N. J. Central 93%
North Am. Co. 44%
Sor. R. pfd. 18½
U. S. n. 48 roup. 123%
U. S. n. 48 roup. 1

U. S. L. pfd. ... 59½ Com. Cable Co. 160

Bond List.

U. S. n. 4s reg. 123¼ C. P. 1sts, '95. .102½
U. S. 5s reg. 114 D. & R. G. 7s. .112
U. S. 5s reg. 114 D. & R. G. 4s. 88
U. S. 4s reg. 111 G. H. & S. A. 6s. 103½
U. S. 4s reg. 111 G. H. & S. A. 6s. 103½
U. S. 2s reg. 95½ H. & T. C. 5s. .101
Pacific 6s, '95. 103½ H. & T. C. 5s. .110
Pacific 6s, '95. 103½ H. & T. C. 5s. .101
Ala., class B. 104
Ala., class C. 96
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Treasury Statement. WASHINGTON, March 18.—Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows:-Available cash balance, \$217,898,196; gold reserve, \$151,312,264.

BOSTON, March 18.—Atchison, 11%; Bell Telephone, 221½; Burlington, 77%; Mexican Central, 8; San Diego, 20.

Silver and Consols.

LONDON, March 18.—Consols, 111 15-16; silver, 28 9-16d.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS.

Grain and Provisions. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

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CHICAGO, March 18.—The opening in wheat was weak on the decilining tendency which so readily succeeded the strong opening at Liverpool. The exhibition a few minutes later of cablegrams from Liverpool reporting an advance of one penny there, but claiming them to refer to a later hour than the subsequent decline that was known to have taken place, deceived a good many of those who saw them and was the means of inducing buying enough to cause May to recover ½ in about ten minutes. The opening transactions were over a range of from 73% to 73% and the upturn referred to raised it to 74%, the price at which it closed yesterday. Then the market turned weak again, not so much on account of news as from the very duliness of trade. Crop damage reports were quite numerous again, and of a serious character from some localities, so serious, in fact, that many short spasms of strength were intermixed with the general weakness of the morning. About noon the price had worked down to 73%. Aside from the crop damage reports there was little in the way of news to induce buying. There was absolutely no demand from abroad worthy of the name. The net clearances from Atlantic ports were again disappointingly light, and unless Russia and the Danubian ports have much increased their shipments this week the smallness of the world's shipments this week must have brought the time a little nearer when the demand from abroad worthy of the name. The net clear-shipments this week the smallness of the world's shipments this week must have brought the time a little nearer when the demand from abroad worthy of the name. The price tended downward until near the close. May got down to 73%, but during the last few minutes an advance of 1 cent at St. Louis yut some backbone to the market, May advancing suddenly to 74%. That price was bid at the close.

Corn was quiet but firm. Owing to the way in which the corn is going out of the country, shorts are getting a little nervous, and their buying today

to sustain prices. Expensions to sustain prices. Days to bushels. Oats were quiet and steady during the greater part of the session, but closed easy with a slight loss. Provisions after dragging till noon, improved radically during the last hour and closed very strong.

The leading futures closed as follows:
Wheat. No. 2— Closing.
March 73%
May . 74%
July 73%
Sentember 70% Henry G Wilson, et ux., to E L Haney, lot
14 of Farris & Lyman's subdivision in block
F, of the Mutual Orchard Association [13-30,]
1300.
George C Edwards, et al., executor, to Irwin
J Fisher, part of sec 1, T 1 S, R 10 W, and
airty shares of water stock, \$3000.
W L Vail to H C Campbell, et al., 569.23

July
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Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was
steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 73%@74%; No. 3
spring wheat, 71½; No. 2 red, 84½@89½; No. 2
corn, 23%@24; No. 2 cats, 16½@66%; No. 2
white, 20½; No. 3 white, 17%@18; No. 2 rye,
33½; No. 2 barley, nominal; No. 3, 26@32 f. o.
b; No. 4, 22½@24 f. o. b.; No. 1 flax seed,
78½@80½; prime timothy seed, 2.75; mess
pork, per bbl. 8.80@8.85; lard, per 100 lbs.
4.17½; short ribs, sides (loose, 4.65@4.85; dry
salted shoulders (boxed,) 4½@5; short clear
sides (boxed,) 4½@4%; whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gal., 1.17.
Grain Movements.

Grain Movements. | Receipts Shipments | Receipts Shipments | 7,000 | 4,000 | 4,000 | 4,000 | 4,000 | 55,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 6

head; hogs, 22,000; sheep, 9000.

The Wool Market.

BOSTON, March 18.—The American Wool and Cotton Reporter says the past week has been distinctly one of higher prices and increased activity. The market is broader and as we go to press the indications all point to larger transactions. Taking the market as a whole it may perhaps do to say that low-grade wools are up 1c and fine grades %c. Territory wools are still in very strong demand, and prices may be said to shown an advance of 2@3c on a scoured basis. The market for foreign wools has been characterized by a great deal of activity, good sales of Australian and South American cross-breeds being recorded. Pleece wools have developed great strength owing to their scarcity and the excellent demand for them. The sales in Boston for the week aggregate 7,161,000 pounds, 3,776,000 being domestic and 3,385,000 foreign, compared with a total of 1,405,000 pounds the corresponding week last year.

Liverpool. March 18.—Spot wheat closed firm with a poor demand: No. 2 red arring firm with a poor demand: No. 2 red arring

NEW YORK, March 18.—Money on call, easy at 1½6/1½ per cent.; last loan, 1½ per cent.; closed at 1½6/1½ per cent.; part developed great strength owing to their scarcity and the excellent demand for them. The sales in bankers bills at 4.84/2 per cent.; sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84/2 per cent.; sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84/2 per cent.; sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.86/2.83/2 per sixty days; posted rates, 4.85/2.83/2 and 4.88/2.83/2; commercial bills, 4.84/2; silver certificates, 62/2; bar silver, 62/2.

The Silver Market.

NEW YORK, March 18.—The silver market at London ruled firmer today on continental purchases. Buyers from India are holding off in view of developments in Japan on the measure introduced for gold coinage. Buillion dealers were interviewed in this city re-

distributed. March, 2s, 74d; April, 2s, 8d;
May, 2s, 84d; June, 2s, 94d; Jely, 2s, 104d.
Flour closed steady with a poor demand; St.
Louis fancy winter, 8s, 6d.
Live Stock at Kansas City.

Live Stock at Kansas City. KANSAS CITY, March 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 609: shipments, 2800. Market stronger: native teers, 3.1095.05; native cows and helers, 5.5074.10; stockers and feeders, 2.5074.40; ulls, 1.2594.50.

Easy to say, but how shall I do it?
In the only com-NEW YORK, March 18.—Petroleum wasteady. United closed 21% bid. Pacific Coast Hops.

LONDON, March 18.—Pacific Coast hops, £3

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Mrs. Josephine Polhill, of Due West, S. C., had a severe case of catarrh, which finally became so deep-seated that she was entirely deaf in one ear, and part of the bone in her nose sloughed off. The best physicians treated her in vain, and she used

various applications of Syrays and CURED BY washes to no avail. Fourteen bottles of S. S. promptly reached the seat of the disease, and cured her sound and well.

Grain and Produce.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—Flour—Family extras, 5.0065.15; bakers' extras, 4.75@4.85; superfine, 4.10@4.35.

Wheat—No. 1 shipping, 1.35; choice, 1.36%; milling, 1.40@1.45.

Barley—Feed, 72½@78%; brewing, 85@92½.

Oats—Fancy white feed, 1.32½@1.40; good to choice, 1.15@1.30; poor to fair, 1.05@1.10; Surprise, 1.45@1.50; gray, 1.15@1.30; black for feed, 1.00@1.05; black for seed, 1.10@1.25; red, 1.15@1.30; milling, 1.25@1.35.

Mill and feedstuffs—Middlings, 17.50@20.00; outside brands of bran, 11.50.

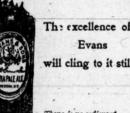
Hay—Wheat, 8.00@11.00; wheat and oat, 7.00 @10.00; oat, 6.00@9.00; barley, 5.00@6.50 per ton; best barley, 7.00@8.50; aifalfa, 5.00@8.00; clover, 6.00@8.00; stock, 5.00@6.50; compressed wheat, 6.00@8.00; stock, 5.00@6.50; compressed wheat, 6.00@8.00; stock, 5.00@6.50; compressed wheat, 6.00@9.00; straw, per bale, 33@50.

Potatoes—Early Rose, 75@80 per cental; Salinas Burbanks, 80@1.10; garden chile, 1.00@1.25; river Burbanks, 80@80; river reds, 70@8 80; Oregon Burbanks, 80@80; river reds, 70%8 80; Oregon Burbanks, 80@80; new potatoes, 2@2%9 per b.; sweet potatoes, 1.25@1.75 per ctl.

Various—Onions, 1.56@1.75 per cental; Oregon onions, 1.75@2.25 per cental; Oregon onions, 1.75@2.25 per cental; Oregon onions, 1.75@2.25 per cental; Oregon into strain strain



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erts, and D. Jonnson of Colton.
Marriage license was granted to J.
Wesley Flavelle, a native of Pennsylvania, aged 30, and Mary J. McNeal, also a native of the Quaker State, aged 34; both being residents of Onta-

SALOON MEN ASK FOR PROTECTION

Mortgages Given Upon Beach Sand

Picked Up Around the City.

the license by handing out a few crack

demanded, and the jury inevitably dis-agrees with the final result that the

MORTGAGED SAND PILES.

A peculiar chattel mortgage was filed hursday with County Recorder Ra-

sey. Moore & Son, merchants of Lom-

as follows:

"Five piles of black sand, and the gold therein, situate on Lompoc Beach, near the mouth of Bear Creek Spring. Two of the piles are north of said spring, within 150 yards of said spring. Three of said piles south of said spring within half a mile of said spring, being the only piles of black sand containing gold within this radius in the south of the spring."

gold within the spring."

The above constitutes substantial proof that the beach sands of the Lompoc region contain gold.

A NEW PASTOR.

Rev. Joseph L. Black of Hanford is on his way to Santa Barbara to take charge of the Christian Church, as pastor. He is said to be a man of su

ability and a fine orator, coming highly recommended. The building of a church on the lot recently purchased at the corner of De la Vina and Carrillo

streets, will be vigorously prosecuted by Mr. Black.

CHINESE SCHOOL ANNIVERSARY.

The twenty-fourth anniversary of the Congregational Chinese Mission, auxil-

lary to the American Missionary As-

sociation, will be celebrated Thursday night tat the church. Rev. W. C. Pond, president of the American Missionary Association, will be present and take part. The Chinese members of the school will also actively participate.

SANTA BARBARA BREVITIES.

The excursions that reached Santa Barbara this week has greatly increased the number of visitors. The Arlington has over 300 guests, today's arrivals numbering over 100.

Peter Laborde, a native of France, was admitted to citizenship in the Su-

Councilman C. E. Lataillade has re-urned from a business trip to Los

THE WHALE AT SAN PEDRO. captured last Monday. A California gray, 37ft., 4½in. long: in an excellent state of preservation; beached at Point Firmin, outer harbor. Reached only by the Southern Pacific. Trains today, 9 s.m., 1:40 p.m. Round trip,

erior Court today.

Angeles.



PASADENA.

TERTAINMENT TO BE GIVEN FOR THE LANDMARKS CLUB.

mises to Be a Brilliant Social Event—Valuable Loan Collection Which Will Be on Exhibition. "Arghie" is Found not Guilty.

PASADENA, March 18.—[Regular Correspondence.] The entertainment which is to be given March 25 under auspices of the Landmarks Club hids fair to be a brilliant success. The proceeds are to be used by the club in its work of preserving the old Spanish missions, and the affair will through out be strongly suggestive of this ob-

A feature which promises to be of especial interest will be a loan exhibit of valuable relics gathered from the missioms. Most notable will be a col-lection of paintings, said to have been secretly preserved for years in a private room in one of the missions, and now publicly exhibited for the first time. The collection includes copies, 200 years old, of paintings by Murillo and Velasquez, which will doubtless be of the utmost interest to lovers of art.

The rich vestments worn by the

The rich vestments worn by the padres at the church festivals, locks and keys from the old mission buildings, holy water vessels and utensils ings, holy water vessels and utensis of every description, missals, articles from the lost mission of Santa Ysabel, spurs, weapons and saddles used by the old Spanish dons, baskets and stone vessels made by the Mission Indians, and many other quaint and curious relics of a by-gone civilization will form a part of this most interesting display.

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Nor will this exhibit be the only attraction of the evening. As a social event it promises to be especially noteworthy. The ladies conducting the entertainment and having charge of the booths will be fittingly dressed in Spanish or Mexican costumes, such as were worn before the advent of los Americanos." The Committee on Arrangements, which has been actively engaged for weeks in preparing for the event, consists of Mrs. B. M. Wotkyns, Mrs. C. F. Holder, Mrs. S. E. Locke, Mrs. F. F. Rowland and Miss Dows. To their efforts the success of the enter-Mrs. C. F. Holder. Mrs. S. E. Locke, Mrs. F. F. Rowland and Miss Dows. To their efforts the success of the entertainment will be largely due. The principal booth, where many beautiful objects will be on sale, will be in charge of Mrs. C. F. Holder, assisted by Mrs. P. C. Baker, Mrs. Webster Wotkyns, Miss Libby, Miss Rowland, Miss Shorb and Miss, Eldred. Mrs. F. F. Rowland and Mrs. A. A. Libby will have charge of the refreshment tables, assisted by Mrs. J. W. Wood and Misses Gardner, Coleman, Randall, Hubbard, Flife, Cloud; Greble, Collamer, Hatch, Norton and Ludovicl. The flower booth will be under the supervision of Mrs. S. E. Locke, Mrs. Up de Graff, Mrs. Dudley Watson and Misses Greenleaf, Daggett, Hinckley, Armstrong and Green. The panoche tables will be in charge of Miss Sargent, and programmes will be distributed by Miss Bolt.

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At 4 p.m., the play, "Carmen Up to Date," will be presented by a cast composed of Miss Dows, Mmes. John Fowler, Jason Evans, Lutz, Carpenter, Groesbeck, Craven, Misses Dodworth, Shoemaker, Lutz, Ford. Hubbard, Tilden, Greble, Carpenter.

Many novel attractions are promised and it is expected that the financial results of the entertainment will prove a most substantial aid to the Landmarks Club in its efforts to save from decay what Hitle remains of Southern California's old Spanish missions.

"ARCHEE" IS ACQUITTED.

"ARCHIE" IS ACQUITTED. Louis N. Whillden, better known as Louis N. Whillden, better known as "Archie," was tried this afternoon before Recorder Rossiter on the charge of receiving stolen goods. The prosecution was conducted by Deputy Distrist Attorney Willis, and William Mattoon, Esq., represented the defendant. The case was tried before a jury of five.

ant. The case was of five.

Walter Gilbreath, the boy who was Walter Gilbreath of stealing a car was recently arrested for stealing a can of oil from W. J. Kelly's grocery, was the principal witness for the people and testified that he disposed of his plunder to the defendant. Testimony was also introduced to show that the defendant was in the habit of buying stolen goods from other youthful thieves. 'Archie' took the stand in his own behalf, and in stentorian tones proclaimed his innocence. He insisted upon standing while giving his testimony, and his manner caused much amusement in the courtroom.

The jury, after a brief deliberation, returned a verdict of not guilty, and the defendant was discharged. efendant was in the habit of buyit

PASADENA BREVITIES.

Theodore P. Gordon of Columbus, O., has recently purchased the Wicker-sham residence on North Los Robies avenue. The grounds include about four acres. It is said that Mr. Gordon

four acres. It is said that Mr. Gordon will remove the cottage which now stands on the premises, and build a new house in which he will reside.

On complaint of W. J. Babcock as warrant was issued Wednesday evening for the arrest of Dr. W. H. Prittle, charging him with illegal selling of liquor. Dr. Prittle says positively that he never sold liquor to the complainant, and his clerks deny that they did so.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lake of Rockford, Ill., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Florin L. Jones Wednesday evening at dinner. They went to Echo Mountain today to remain a few days, and they will then visit other parts of the State.

Col. L. P. Hansen returned today

visit other parts of the State.

Col. L. P. Hansen returned today from Lake View, Riverside county. He reports the sale of four townsite lots to Rudolph Wassilek and four to J. B. Brosseau. Both of the purchasers are well-known, Chicagodans.

The Lenten services conducted by Dr. Hall at the Episcopal Church are crousing much interest. The services for young people on Wednesdays are especially well attended.

Hon. Horace Boles. ex-Governor of

cially well attended.

Hon, Horace Boles, ex-Governor of Iowa, spent a short time in Pasadena on Wednesday, visiting his cousin, Mrs. Decker of Burton Court. He will be here again on Friday.

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The order of the temple was conferred Wednesday evening by Pasadena Commandery, Knight's Templar. Several prominent eastern visitors were present.

A. J. Spitzer and his daughter, Miss Lulu Spitzer, who have been residing on Yolo avenue, left on Wednesday for their old home in Stanton, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. Huntington of Phoenix, Ariz., are visiting Mrs. Scoville of Orange Grove avenue. They will leave on Friday for Fresno.

Rev. H. Elllott Ward, pastor of the East Side Christian Church, has gone to Ventura to assist in a series of evangelistic meetings.

Col. L. B. Dick, president of the Indigestion cured with Miller's Pepsin Cocca.

Pennsylvania Central Railroad, has arrived with a party of friends in his private car.

Frank Adams, who has ben visiting his parents on North Madison avenue, left for Denyer this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Haskins expect to return to their home in Evanston, Ill., next week.

Per Cifford Barnes who has re-

Rev. Clifford Barnes, who has recently returned from Chicago, was in Pasadena yesterday.

A supper was given this evening at the First Methodist Church by the Ladies' Aid Society.

C. M. Higginson, assistant to the president of the Santa Fe road, was in Pasadena today.

For the barbecue and whale at San Pedro tomorrow Southern Pacific trains will leave Colorado-street station 8:30, 8:30 a.m. and 1:10 p.m. The Southern Pacific is the only line running directly into San Pedro, and the only line to Point Firmin, where the whale is beached. Round trip on Saturday only 45 cents.

To see the whale at San Pedro take the Southern Pacific's 8:30 a.m., or 1:10 p.m. train from Colorado-street station. It is the only line running through to Point Pirmin, where the whale is beached. Round trip 70 cents.

Sunday whale trains via Southern Pacific will leave Colorado-street station 7:20, 8:30 9:30 a.m., and 1:10 p.m. Returning, last train will leave San Pedro 4:20 p.m. Only line to outer harbor. Round trip 70 cents.

Millipary conening, March 18, 19 and 20

Millinery opening, March 18, 19 and 20 at No. 5 East Colorado. Knox & Mc-Dermid.

ORANGE COUNTY.

Co-operative Sugar Company Seek

SANTA ANA, March 18.—[Regular Correspondence.] A petition was filed in the Superior Court of this county by Los Angeles attorneys today asking th court to dissolve the corporation known as the Anaheim Copperative Beet-sugar

Company.

The petition sets forth that the cor The petition sets forth that the corporation was formed March 30, 1892, and that it still exists under and by virtue of the laws of California; that at a meeting of the stockholders held October 3, 1896, dissolution was resolved upon by a vote of over two-thirds of the entire stock of the corporation and that all claims and demands have been fully satisfied and discharged against the company.

The petition prays that the court clerk give notice of the application to disincorporate and of the time for hearing, and that after the time of publication has expired the court will, upon five days notice to any persons who have filed objections within the time prescribed by law, or without notice, if no objections have been filed, proceed to declare said corporation dissolved.

The present board of directors in the corporation is composed of the following: E. V. Van Norman, Joseph N. Bill, Alexander Henry, F. J. Capitain, H. H. Bartlett.

ORANGE COUNTY BREVITIES.

ORANGE COUNTY BREVITIES. Emma D. Davis of Pasadena has sold lot 7 in block D of Shelton & Denel's

addition to Santa Ana to A. A. Barrett for \$800.

The Orange City Band will give another of its pleasant open-air concerts at the plaza in Orange Friday evening of this week.

The rainfall for the present season in the Santa Ana Valley now foots up over thirteen and one-half inches.

A correspondent from Orange states that twenty carloads of oranges, have been shipped from that point during the week ending Wednesday, March 17.

D. G. McClay and George W. Freeman have returned to Santa Ana from a prospecting trip at Randsburg. The parties purchased a few placer claims and located several more before returning.

ing.
Horticultural Commissioner Hamilton has recently served notices on a number of owners of badly-kept orange orchards that if the orchards are not put in proper condition in a reasonable time that they will be condemned, in which event steps will probably be taken to have them removed. have them removed

POMONA.

Old Citizen Sends a Bullet Through His Brain,

POMONA, March 18.-[Regular Cor respondence.] D. R. Lilly, one of the best known citizens of Pomona, died Wednesday evening from a self-in-flicted shot through the brain. He was 81 years old and about two weeks ago suffered a paralytic stroke, which ren-dered him helpless, so far as the use of his legs was concerned. He had an at-

his legs was concerned. He had an attendant constantly at his side, but felt that he was a burden upon his friends. A table stood by the bedside, and while the attendant was lying on a couch, about midnight, he was awakened by a noise and found Mr. Lilly attempting to get something from a drawer in the table. He said he wanted his tobacco. That was given to him and the attendant lay down again and was soon asleep. But a little while later he was awakened by a pistol shot, and it was found that the old man had sent a bullet through his brains. Before a doctor could be summoned he was dead.

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It seems that an old pistol had been lying in the table drawer and the afficted man had succeeded in getting hold of it. The remains were taken to J. C. Kirby's undertaking parlor and the Coroner summoned:

Mr. Lilly had lived in Pomona for many years and was known to almost the entire population. He stood high in the community and his act is attributed to the effect of the disease on his mind. He leaves a married daughter, who resides in Ontario.

Several years ago Lilly killed a rancher near Spadra, and was tried and acquitted by a jury.

WHITTIER.

WHITTIER, March 18. — [Regular Correspondence.] The population of Whittier is on the increase, according to the statement of the physician, who reports the birth of a child daily for the last week. The latest was born last night to the wife of Thomas Morris.

There seems to have been a mistake made in the amount of fine imposed on I. A. Kelsey last week. It was reported that the fine was \$20 and costs, whereas it was only \$2, the costs bringing a total of \$15.

· SAN PEDRO.

SATURDAY WILL BE A GREAT DAY FOR THE PORT.

ings of the Trustees—Gaffey Will Get His Franchise—Visit from Railway Officials.

SAN PEDRO, March 18.-[Regular Correspondence.] The seagults flap their lazy wings along the docks the same as usual, but up in town all is alive and active, with more spirit than San Pedro has felt for many years. In preparations for the grand barbecue Saturday the streets are hung with thousands of small flags, hundreds of yards of bunting decorate the buildings, and arches in red, white and blue have been erected at all the

important points.

At the grounds selected for the bar-At the grounds selected for the barbecue, which are on Sixth street, near the Grammar School building, a gang of men are at work building tables and digging trenches for the big roast. A continuous table forms a square 300x 100 feet. In the center is a huge trench sixty feet long, lined with rocks, the edge formed with steel rails. Over this is laid a heavy iron screen forty feet long, which serves as an immense broller, over which ten Mexican "asadores" will stand and attend to the cooking of the meats.

Capt. Sanchez its in charge of the edibles, and he intends to have everything served in true Mexican style. He expects to serve 10,000 people, and has arranged for handling the whole number in about four hours.

Plenty of help will be on hand to wait upon those who come to do honor to the people's free harbor, and it is certain that there will be plenty of beef, mutton, pork, clams, lobsters, bread and coffee for all.

STREET RAILWAY FRANCHISE. becue, which are on Sixth street, near

STREET RAILWAY FRANCHISE At the meeting of the City Council Tuesday evening it was decided to grant John T. Gaffey his desired street-car franchise. The matter of bonding the gity for \$30,000 for street improvements was discussed, and it was finally decided to call a massmeeting and have the people talk over the matter before going to the expense of calling an election.

SAN PEDRO BREVITIES.

Among the late marine arrivals are:
March 16, schooner J. B. Leeds, with
300,000 feet of lumber for the Southern
California Lumber Company; March 17,
steamer Pasadena, with 195,000 feet of
lumber for the Kerckhoff-Cuzner Mill
and Lumber Company; March 17,
steamer Anderson, with 400 ties and 700,
telegraph poles for the Southern Pacific
Company; March 18, schooner Lottle
Corson, with 255,000 feet of lumber for
the J. M. Griffith Company; schooner
Barbara Hernster, with 186,000 feet of
lumber for the San Pedro Lumber Company: Schooner Bertie Minor with 322,000 feet of lumber for the San Pedro
Lumber Company.

A party of Santa Fé Railroad officials, accompanied by S. B. Hynes,
general manager of the Terminal
came in with a special coach this
morning, and remained for a short
time looking over the inner harbor.

John Higgins was arrested by the SAN PEDRO BREVITIES.

John Higgins was arrested by the City Marshal this afternoon for drunk-enness, but the fellow showed fight, and it took three men to get him to jail without hurting him.

The big whale which came ashore ere Tuesday night will add to the attractions of next Saturday.

City Marshal Grimshaw has re-signed his position as Street Superin-tendent.

The tug Collis is still in the outer harbor with her lighter making borings. The main streets are all being graded and sidewalks cleaned off. Several prominent real estate men

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY

ACTIVE SUNDAY-SCHOOL WORKERS

Case of Scarlet Fever Quarantined. Candidates Make Themselves Useful—Committed to the Asylum-San Bermardino Brevities.

SAN BERNARDINO, March 18.-[Regular Correspondence.] The annual convention of the San Bernardino County Sunday-school Association met Wednesday morning at the First Methodist Episcopal Church, with an attendance of 155 delegates, and was called to order by the president, J. F. Hamilton of Redlands. The address of welcome was by F. A. Leonard of San Bernardino and the reply by J. P. Fisk, Jr. of Redlands. A short song esrvice followed, led by Rev. B. R. Taylor of the Presbyterian Church when the committees for nominations place for holding next convention, and

when the committees for nominations, place for holding next convention, and resolutions were appointed. During their consultations President Hamilton gave an address, and the reports from twenty-five Sunday-schools of the county were read.

The Committee on Nominations reported as follows: President, George W. Gooch of Ontario; secretary and treasurer, A. F. Noble, Ontario; vice-presidents, W. N. Brouse, San Bernardino; James Doty, Colton; J. Hartzel, Highland; J. C. Henderson, Ontario; B. H. Jacobs, Redlands; Robert Hickox, Etiwanda; L. H. Brown, Barstow. The report was adopted. The Committee on Place of Holding the Next Convention selected Ontario, which met with approval. The report on resolutions met with considerable opposition and discussion, but was finally adopted.

The afternoon session was devoted to an address by Prof. H. M. Hamill of Chicago, who is sent out by the International Sunday-school Committee. He has been engaged in this work for the past ten years over the whole of the United States and Canada. This was the first point on his California tour. At the evening session Rev. E. O. Mc-Intire took charge, while C. E. Percy directed the music. After prayer by Rev. Dr. Wright and singing by the male quartette, Prof. Hamill was introduced and gave another talk on Sunday-school work.

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RED FLAG QUARANTINE. A red flag at the south end of the eating-house of the Santa Fé depot at-tracts attention. It is a warning to betracts attention. It is a warning to be-ware of scarlet fever. The little son of the manager of the house, H. R. Hock-strauser, was taken down and the doc-tor ordered up the little signal of dan-ger. The quarantine is most strict and there seems to be no danger of the disease spreading.

FENCE-BUILDERS AT WORK. A large force of men are at work putting up the ten-foot fence around Athletic Park, and it is expected that it will be completed in time for the For Denver, Kansas City, Chicago.

HERNCALIFORNIA NEW

PARSONAGE BURGLAR'S SEN-TENCE TO SAN QUENTIN.

Who are Visiting the Bay.

usual Sunday game. At that time the home team will meet the Banning Indians on the diamond, and a fine game is inevitable. The subscription for the fence was only enough to obtain the lumber, and the workmen putting up the fence are all volunteers. The following are the present force: James D. Faris, candidate for City Recorder; Smith Hailer, present City Recorder; Herman Marks, Louis Mossser, George Boren, Bev. Boren, Will Boren, Louis Slater, Hal Rodden, William Nance, Louis Felder, C. Binkley, Frank Rathbun, and it is expected the force will be increased to a half hundred at least when the fun of the thing becomes apparent. All the candidates in the coming city election are to be given a special invitation to pull off their coats and assist. COMMITTED AS INSANE

The wife of Dr. Wesley Thompson was committed to the asylum. She has been showing symptoms of insanity for the past three years, but not sufficiently to warrant extreme measures until the present time, when her friends feared she might do herself injury. Her principal hallucination is that she is conducting an important lawsuit, and that she is being watched and followed by detectives. Dr. Thompson is a Grand Army man, and one of the prominent physicians of San Bernardino.

SAN RERNARDINO BREVITIES. and as the foolish burglar emerged from the house, the parson shied the floral receptacle at Larry's head, thus giving the robber a regular Fitzsimmons head blow, stunning the rascal and resulting in his capture. Larry pleaded guilty at his trial yesterday, and was sentenced to five years in San Quentin.

The Wilcox & Rose Company filed papers of incorporation, showing a capital of \$75,000, with the following board of directors: W. W. Wilcox of Colton, E. H. Rose, Colton; Thomas Hadden, San Bernardino; E. D. Roberts, and D. Johnson of Colton. AN UNFORTUNATE WOMAN.

John W. Downs has commenced suit against W. H. Dinwiddie, Walter Drew, Mitchell Drew, and three others, names unknown for possession of the Texas mine in the Virginia Dale district. St. Bernard Commandery, No. 23, K. T., will attend Easter services at Riverside this year, in response to an invitation sent them by the Riverside Commandery. Papers have been filed by Mrs. J. D. McLennan against W. W. Wilcox, to establish title to lots 27 to 32, block 112, Colton. SANTA BARBARA COUNTY

A YACHT RACE.

SAN DIEGO BREVITIES. Judge A. J. Ricks of Cleveland, O., now at Lakeside, is talked of as the successor of Justice Field on the Su-preme bench. SANTA BARBARA, March 18.—[Reg-lar Correspondence.] Seventeen liquor lealers petitioned the Council today,

E. E. White, assignee of the Coro-nado Foundry, sues the San Diego Electric Light Company for \$662. Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Noyes of Wash-ington. D. C., relatives of Newspaper-man Noyes, are at Coronado. The Merchants' and Manufacturers'

ers with each glass of beer. The diffi-culty is one often brought before the Council, but so far no solution has been found. Arrests have been made Telephone Company. The schooner Alliance is due next week from Eureka, with lumber for the Russ Company.

Dr. and Mrs. Henry B. Reed of Brooklyn, N. Y., arrived at Coronado last night. under the present ordinance, which seem to be as strong as any that will stand, but upon trial a jury is always

coused escape punishment. City At-rney McNulta related one case Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Nichols, Sr., of the Hotel Florence started for Manitou, olo., today. United States Judge August J. Ricks of Cleveland, O., is at Lakeside.

accused escape punisament. City Attorney McNulta related one case where there were three crackers and a piece of cheese to five bottles of wine, but the jury found the defendant not guilty on the ground that he was furnishing a meal.

Fifty thousand dollars worth of water bonds will be offered for sale Saturday by the Council, the indebtedness having been created by the acceptance of several contracts and estimates for the new municipal system.

Daniel H. Long was awarded the contract for the receiving reservoir at Eucalyptus Hill, his bid being 50 cents per cubic yard for excavation; asphalt pavement for the bottom, 13 cents per square foot, There were two other bidders.

The Daily News made another attempt to secure the city printing by under hidding stone of the case of the country of th The schooner McPherson has arrived at Ensenada from San Pedro.

Capitalist Willard Kidder has returned from Cedros Island. The steamer Corona is due Friday

W. E. Howard is here from Alamo.

LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

A Kick from San Pedro Street.

The Dally News made another at-tempt to secure the city printing by under bidding other offices, offering to do all necessary advertising for 25 cents per square, first insertion, and 5 cents per square for the second in-sertion. The offer was referred to the committee. the Editor of The Times;] An apparntly insignificant item in your day's report of the proceedings of the City Council, I think, merits more attention than it has received, and more than it at first seems to attract. It was that John Goldsworthy and J. S. Van poc, advanced between \$400 and \$500 to David Upton and Andy Larsen, two miners, taking as security a mortgage on beach sand, which contains gold. The description of the property is given as follows:

than it at first seems to attract. It was that John Goldsworthy and J. S. Van Avery want a franchise on San Pedro street for an electric rallway, and that the City Attorney had been directed to prepare the franchise.

There has been a good deal of talk lately about certain parties wanting to get a franchise on San Pedro street, but as far as the writer knows the hope has been general among citizens that it least one broad street might be left on which to drive out south of the city, and on which farmers could drive into the city without continual contact with roaring electric cars. It seems as if one street at least in this direction should be reserved from the greed of corporations and enterprising real estate men. The railroad companies seem determined to grab and cover every available outlet from the city, as if they feared some other company might get it or that the city might in the future make some better use of it. It seems to me looking at it from the standpoint of a man who has to use the street cars, that the present lines of the city might with advantage spend some of their surplus energy in improving the service aiready established rather than keep the finances of the company in a perpetual state of bankruptcy by trying to cover everything in sight.

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A moment's reflection will bring to your mind the fact that every other through street leading south is already monopolized by a railroad line, and the hope of many of our citizens that at least this grand street would be reserved as a boulevard for driving purposes seems in a fair way to be blasted by the granting of this franchise at the instance of some greedy corporation and the eternal vigilance of active real estate sharks, whose sub-divisions of ranch property must be put on the market regardless of the best interests of the city. It is said that one member of the City Council, who is an enterprising real estate man, has a subdivision abutting on San Pedro street, which will be greatly enhanced in value by the running of a railroad on this street. I believe the majority of the citizens of the city, as well as a majority of the property-owners on this street are against this move. I don't know what particular corporation is behind these men; it doesn't make any difference, but it is to be hoped that this franchise will not be granted, as there seems to be no reason on earth why there should be a railroad on this street except to gratify the avariee of the two classes above mentioned.

The Orange Lifters.

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RIVERSIDE (Cal.,) March 17, 1897.—
[To the Editor of The Times:] The article in The Times of March 16, regarding the practice of people in gen-

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

W. S. Stratton Looking into Call-

SAN DIEGO, March 18.-[Regular Correspondence.] It doesn't pay to try to rob a parson. Larry Hamilton on a Sunday night a few weeks ago tried to rob the house of Rev. C. W. Maggart, who was preaching the gospel in the church next door. After the sermon, Mr. Maggart strolled over to his house. He noticed a light mov-ing about in the house and surmised that a burglar was at work. Quietly taking a flower pot. Mr. Maggart sta-tioned himself beside the front door, and as the foolish burglar emerged

The condition of Miss Mary Poole, the young Chicago woman who suddenly young Chicago woman who suddenly became violently insane, and is now under restraint in the County Jail, does not improve. The Chicago police have wired to give Miss Poole every attention, as the woman's brother has started West to care for his sister. Every effont is being made by people here to make Miss Poole comfortable, with all possible tender attentions.

INVESTIGATING MINES.

W. S. Stratton, the Cripple Creek millionaire mine-owner, is reported to be investigating mines in this county near Yuma. He says: "It seems to me from what I see, that California miners do not push things as much as we do. If we had in Colorado the big veins and rich ore that I constantly hear about here, we would do a great deal more with them. It seems so to me, at least." Several years ago Stratton offered \$100,000 for the corner of Fifth and D streets, and many are disappointed because he was not induced to come here by an acceptance of his offer.

A YACHT RACE. INVESTIGATING MINES.

The naphtha launches Hercules and Point Loma raced on the bay yesterday, attracting crowds to the wharves. Mrs. Cresswell, captain of the Loma, made a plucky contest with her fast boat against Capt. Oakley Hall of the Hercules, over a course of several miles. The Hercules crossed the finish line just six inches ahead of the Loma, and now holds the record for speed on this

asking that some steps be taken to prevent the infracture of the law by as many other liquor deals who escape

Mr. and Mrs. H. Knippenberg of Mon-ana are at the Hotel Florence.

Charles E. Colburn is licensed to wed Lida Powley. Ex-Gov. Matthews of Indiana is at

LOS ANGELES, March 18, 1897 .- [To



thing fried in COTTOLENE is appetizing, wholesome and healthful—less greasy, tastes better, more digestible.

The Cottolene trade-marks are 'Cottolene' and steer's hand in cotton-plant wreath-on every ti THE N. K. FAIRBANK CO., St. Louis, Chicago, Montreal, San Francisco, Portland, Oregon.

BANNING COMPANY.

COAL.

COAL Just received several thousand tons selected S. F. Wellington Coal, and are selling at lowest market price. Stock up for the winter.

things will vanish. Every-

TELEPHONE, MAIN 36 222 SOUTH SPRING STREET "Butcher's DIRECT CONTACT

метнор." 155 NORTH SPRING STREET.

Pittsburg ALUMINUM

eral, and tourists in particular, helping themselves to oranges without permission, recalls to mind a remark made by one of our leading citizens, who has charge of several orange groves belonging to non-residents. He stated that in one of the groves, the row of trees nearest the street was almost stripped of fruit by parties who wanted to know how it would seem to pick oranges from the tree; probably no one party took a great many, but the aggregate was large. The location was on a popular drive away, from any residence, where they could be taken in a free, off-hand manner, peculiar to California hospitality. The other extreme is, a party of tourists drive along and help themselves to a couple of oranges. A man of coarse (and perhaps bordering on the brutish) nature, lies in wait, and when the tresspass has been committed, demands an exorpitant sum, which puts a blush upon the face of every decent citizen in the community. "And there you are again."

"For Widows and Orphans." eral, and tourists in particular, halping themselves to oranges without permission, recalls to mind a remark made by core of our leading etitiens who has been considered by the core of our leading etitiens who has been core of the core of t

"For Widows and Orphans." LOS ANGELES, March 17, 1897.—[To the Editor of The Times:] An Edin-burgh citizen has left by will £4000 burgh citizen has left by will £4000 worth of securities, the proceeds of which are to be divided between the ministers and kirk sessions of the Established and Free churches in his native town for lending on easy terms to necessitious persons, especially poor widows with young children. The fund is to be called, "The Golden Rule Loan Fund," and perhaps some Los Angeles citizen would help poor widows with young children in like manner, during his life time, and have the joy of seeing all the good he would do. Faithfully yours, "THEOPHILUS."

RIVERSIDE COUNTY.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC QUARRY PUR-

CHASE EXCITES COMMENT. Much-prosecuted Liquor Seller or Trial for Perjury-School Vocal Contest Decided - Weather and

RIVERSIDE, March 18 .- [Regular Correspondence.] The Riverside Trust Company has sold to the Southern Pa-cific Company the Dulez quarry on Arlington Heights. There is an extensive deposit of good granite at this point, and the quarry is near the line of the Southern Pacific as surveyed from Riv-erside to Corona. The purchase is be-lieved to indicate the purpose of the company to extend its line down the valley at an early day.

Other Topics Touched Up.

ON TRIAL FOR PERJURY. R. J. Bush is on trial before the Superior Court on a charge of perjury. When on trial for violating the prohibition ordinance he testified that he was in San Bernardino when the offense was committed. He was convicted at that trial, and is now serving a term in jail. The prosecution seeks to establish the fact that he swore falsely in testi-fying that he was in San Bernardino when the beer was sold. The testimony when the beer was sold. The testimony of Bush is to the effect that Cornelius, who bought the beer, had tried to get \$25 from him for hanging a jury on a previous trial. A great deal of contradictory evidence is being introduced. The jury that will decide on Bush's guilt are: John Cobb, C. R. Cook, W. THE FLAG AWARDED.

The committee selected to visit the various public schools and choose from the school or room the pupils who The committee selected to visit the various public schools and choose from the school or room the pupils who could best sing national songs, completed its labor Thursday. The decision was made on the technical ability of the children, and to the fourth, fifth and sixth grades of the Fourteenth-street school was awarded the flag to be used in the reception exercises in honor of Maj. Clarkson on the 22d inst. In charge of these grades are Missel Lacy, Hancock and Walters.

Had there been a second prize, it would have gone to the seventh grade of the Fourteenth-street school, whase teachers are Miss Holmes and Miss Wilbur. The first and second grades of the Thirteenth-street building won third place. These are in charge of Miss Holmes and Miss Smith.

The committee recommended that the seventh grade of the Fourteenth-street school be asked to sing on the stage.

TOO MUCH RAIN.

TOO MUCH RAIN. Even the splendid rains that have come so seasonably this winter have not been an unmixed blessing. Farmnot been an unmixed blessing. Farmers who have grain planted on the flat lands around Moreno complain that the accumulated downpour has drowned out their grain crops, and they are not hankering for any more rain just at

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES. The Young Men's League of the Methodist Church discussed State di-vision Wednesday evening, and decided in favor of the proposition by a large

majority. Prof. Hammil, who is in Southern California in the interest of the Na-tional Sunday-school Association spoke at the Congregational Church Thursday evening.

The Riverside Polo Club is making extensive preparation for some peny races on March 26. races on March 26.

W. A. Correll has presented the Washington school with a handsome picture
of Washington.

Postmaster Abbot has let the contract for a \$3200 residence on Four-

teenth street. There will be a meeting Friday even-ng to organize a State of Maine Club. Ballington Booth's Volunteers are holding services at the Y.M.C.A. hall.

Chamber of Commerce.

Calvin & Sors of Pasadena have do-nated to the exhibit hall a mammoth navel orange, the largest ever exhibited in Los Angeles. It measures sev enteen and a half inches in circumfer-ence, and weighs thirty-eight ounces. The Covina Citrus Association sends in a box of navel oranges and a cluster of fourteen Eureka lemons, the finest and most compact bunch ever sent to the Chamber of Commerce

Maccabce Masque Ball. California Tent, No. 6, Knights of the Maccabees, gave a masquerade ball at Fraternal Brotherhood Hall at No. 12514 South Spring street last night. Schoneman & Blanchard's Orchestra furnished the music. The Committee of Arrangements was S. Maas, H. Slotterbeck, and C. A. Schalwitz.

CATALINA ISLAND'S Saturday excursion includes a trip through the smooth crystal waters over the submarine forest, revealing ocean's wonders. trip. \$2.50. See Catalina office. No. 222 South Spring street.



Who Cures Weak Men?

After you have read what is claimed for the many remedies advertised for the cure of weakness in men, after you have noted the counter boasts of the big quacks in medicine, and consider the great work which they claim to be doing for science and humanity, you wonder how it is that every weak man in the world has not already been made strong. Surely such multitudes of cures as they promise must quickly absorb all the subjects ready to be worked upon-if they

subjects ready to be worked upon—if they care.

The fact that thousands of men have tried all of them, one after another, in turn, and finally given up in despair, proves that they do not cure; the stronger fact that in nine cases out of ten, after the medicine has failed they finally tell their patients that the only cure for them is an efective belt, which THEY have for sale, is proof that they stars at the wrong end—medicine first and electricity as a last resort. Then what does cure weak men? The answer is plain. Those who have had experience with all sorts of treatment, and have finally been cured, vouch for DR. SANDEN'S ELECTRIC BELT. Start right by using it first, and there will then be no need for drug treatment, of which so many unfortunate sufferers have sickened. If you do not use electricity at first you will have to in the end, for nothing else will restore the power of the nerves and vital organs.

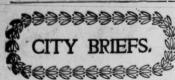
Dr. Sanden's Belt always cures, because it is applied on the right principle—restoring vigor and nerve force.—The book, "Three Classes of Men," will be sent free, closely saled, upon application.

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If you have a photograph that you want enlarged three-quarters life size and elegantly framed without its costing a penny, all you need do is to become a subscriber to the Los Angeles Times and pay one year in advance for the same.

Edison's wonder, the animatoscope, with its moving, breathing, living pictures, exhibited in Simpson Tabernacle Thursday night, March 18. Admission 35c; children 20c.

Mission 35c; children 29c.
You are all invited to attend Mrs. S.
M. Oliver's grand opening of millinery
and pattern hats, on Saturday, March
20, 257 South Broadway.
Twenty per cent. discount on Indian
baskets, blankets, and drawn-work,
Campbell's Curio store, 325 South
Spring street.

Register names at St. George Stable, 510 S. Broadway, for tally-ho ride to Pasadena, Baldwin's ranch, Old Mission. Big lot Mexican rag figures, Camp-bell's Curio store, 325 South Spring. Mexican leather goods at Campbell's.

Van Storage Co., Tel. Main 1140. Mexican opals, 325 South Spring.

A marshal will be appointed by the Board of Education next Monday night to superintend the taking of the school

census.

The Central W.C.T.U. will meet at
Temperance Temple today at 2:30.

RESERVED TO THE STATE OF T

The projection of the Hellman building on Fourth street has been cut off and the line of the street has been made to conform to that adopted by the builders of the Van Nuys Hotel.

Unders of the van Nuys Hotel.
Undelivered telegrams at the Western Union for W. C. Cobb, Otto E.
Wolf, F. E. Blodgett, Mrs. R. M. Jeffgles, Hugh S. Aldrich, Charles Ellery,
Will H. Cochrane, J. O. Siebert, E. D.
Harrington, H. B. Wall, Kirk & Robinson, Mrs. E. L. Allen.

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At a special meeting of the board of directors of the Board of Trade, held yesterday afternoon, a resolution was unanimously adopted indorsing the movement inaugurated by the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association for the construction of a boulevard between Los Angeles and Pasadena.

A communication has been received.

A communication has been received from H. Ekrum, secretary of the San Pedro Barbecue Committee, liviting the members of the Board of Trade to attend the "barbecue de San Pedro," be given by that city in celebration of the deision of the Deep-Sea Harbor missioners, on Saturday next, the

FAILED TO ESCAPE.

Experiment with a New fangled Fire Escape.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 18.-A young woman who was descending from a window of the St. Cloud Hotel by means of a patent fire escape, lost con-trol of the apparatus and is suffering bruises and internal injuries. The inventor of the fire escape, George L. Kingsbury, of Enfield, Ct., and his gen-

Kingsbury, of Enfield, Ct., and his general agent, John S. Kilby, were arrested and taken to the Jefferson Market Police Court and released on their own recognizance, to await the result of the court's inquiries.

The name of the young woman is Hedwig Newmark. She is a gymnast and has frequently made descents from windows by means of the same apparatus, which consists of a finely-woven cable of wire, a frame and lever by which the speed of the descent is regulated, and the two straps which serve as a saddle.

The descent was made from a window seventy feet above the street. The passers-by in Forty-second street and Broadway saw a handsome young woman lift a top-story window, step lightly upon the stone window sill and then start down the fire escape. She glided down easily until she was within thirty feet of the ground, when she bumped against the side of the building. She tried to Steady herself, while at the same time regulating her downward speed by means of the lever. The crowd then saw she had lost control of the apparatus, and she descended like a shot. She lay still and i nsensible where she first landed, in plain view of the thousands of sight-seers. Physicians were summoned, but were unable to say whether her injuries would prove fatal or not. The descent was made from a win-

EZETA'S DEMISE.

Central America Rejoices Over the Death of a Dangerous Man [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 18 .- A dispatch following opinions from correspondents in the Central American States ents in the Central American States relative to the death of Antonio Ezeta, formerly Vice-President of Salavdor, express the general feeling of those countries, and are interesting as showing that jingoism is dying out even in republics which have been accused of chronic turbulence of spirit.

In San José, Costa Rica, a correspondent states that the death of Ezeta was regarded as a fortunate circumstance, inasmuch as it removed one serious obstacle to the continuance of peace in Central America.

The correspondent of the Herald in Managua, Nicaragua, writes that there is general rejoicing in his country. The people declared openly that death has overtaken one of the worst tyrants who ever held power in Spanish America.

Guatemala heard of Ezeta dozents.

Guatemala heard of Ezeta's death with indifference.

The San Salvador correspondent writes that Ezeta has long been politically dead, and the report of his demise produced not he slightest feeling or excitement.

The press and people of Honduras expressed unfeigned satisfaction when informed that Ezeta had died. He was looked upon in the republic as a constant menace to peace as long as he lived.

a Panama they are more charitable is ay that all political enmittes uld be buried in the grave of the n who excited them.

SCALDED TO DEATH.

Four Persons Killed by a Collision

of Locomotives.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] DENVER, March 18.—Patrick Case, DENVER, March 18.—Patrick Casey and Hugh McBride, aged 15 and 13 years, respectively, were scalded to death this morning in a wreck caused by a collision of engines on the Union Pacific, Denver and Gulf Railroad, in this city. Ed J. Hayes, aged 36, was so badly burned that he died in a few hours, and John W. Berndt, aged 40, was severely injured. The four were employed in factories, and were riding to the city on an engine-tender.

BAUMAN'S GRAND MILLINERY OPENING Bauman's grand millinery opening wil uesday and Wednesday next. We will s hen the finest millinery in this city. I nan's Millinery, No. 309 South Broadway.

TO REACH RANDSBURG COLD FIELDS

MISSING FOUR DAYS.

FRAZEE HAS MYSTERIOUSLY

Left His Home on Saturday Afternoon to Visit a Friend and Has not Since Been Seen or Heard Of.

A great deal of anxiety is felt by A great deal of anxiety is left by the friends of Edward Frazee, who has mysteriously Lisappeared from his home and from the city. Frazee was the book-keeper for the Crescent Coal Company, on the corner of First street and Broadway, and was last seen at the office on Saturday. Charles A. Marriner, the secretary of the company the packed Frazee if he would go Marriner,—the secretary of the company, then asked Frazee if he would go to the office on Sunday, but Frazee said no, as he must have the rest. For the past few months he has been complaining of pains in his head, resulting from the heavy work that he has done. It is feared that overwork has affected his brain, and has caused him to wander away.

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On Saturday afternon, Frazee went to his home on West Twenty-fifth street and told his wife that he was going to see a man named Thompson, giving no further information as to where Thompson lived. He took his overcoat with him. also a small valise containing some linen and other necessaries. He then went away telling his wife that he would be gone over Sunday, and no word has been heard of him since that time.

There seems to be nothing wrong with Frazee's accounts, for Mr. Marriner says the books were experted only a. little over a week ago, and they were in perfect order. This was done on account of certain changes expected in the company, and not for any purpose affecting Frazee. A large amount of money was also left in the safe by the book-keeper who has disappeared. A diligent search is now being made for the missing man, though there are but slight clews to his whereabouts.

PERSONALS.

Assemblyman Kenyon was in the city yes-terday.

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Senator White left Washington yesterday for Los Angeles on two weeks' leave of absence.

L. Hacke, the beet grower of Chino, is at the Westminster Hotel. He will remain in Los Angeles several days.

C. S. Dinsmore, wife, maid and valet arrived from Santa Barbara last night and are at the Van Nuys. Their visit is one of pleasure purely.

Robert T. Harrison, the mining man of Grant, Cal., is among the guests at the Westminster. Mr. Harrison reports great progress in and about the Grant district.

J. P. Thomas, an old Pennsylvania oil well operator, is in the city looking over the local oil district with an eye to possible investment. Mr. Thomas is at the St. Vincent Hotel.

Edward Cullen, who has been in Los Angeles for some time interesting capital in his extensive lumber and milling properties in Fresne county, leaves for the North tomorrow night.

Millionaire Henry Miller of the firm of Mil-

night.
Millionaire Henry Miller of the firm of Miller & Lux, arrived in the city from the north yesterday and registered at the Nadeau. Mr. Miller will today visit the San Joaquin ranch, thirty-five miles southeast of this city. returning tomorrow and leaving for his Kern county ranch tomorrow night.

He Led Her Out.

J. B. Benoit was arrested yesterday on a warrant charging him with battery. The complaint was sworn to by Alice Edwards, who, with Benoit, rooms at a lodging-house on South Main street, kept by a Mrs. McConnell. It appears that Alice Edwards became very noisy and bolsterous, and Mrs. McConnell the landlady, asked Benoit to eject the woman from the house. Benoit took her by the arm and led her from the house without violence, but the Edwards woman was not satisfied, and swore out the complaint against him. Benoit appeared in Justice Owens's court yesterday, and after pleading not guilty, his trial was set for today at 2 o'clock. The complaint was sworn to by

MOST EXTRAORDINARY.

All subscribers to The Times, whether old or new, who pay in advance \$9 for one year may have a photograph enlarged to threefourths life size, and handsomely framed.

The Doctor's Examination.



hours do you sleep during the

R. For Mr. J. S. — JOY'S VEGETABLE SARSAPARILLA. M. Sig.

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Tureen, English Semi-Porcelain, value \$1.00,

Absolutely Pure Celebrated for its great leavening strength and healthfulness. Assures the food agains lum and all forms of adulteration common

John J. Miscall, a native of Iowa, aged 33, and Jessie C. Gillette, a native of Canada. aged 23, both residents of

of Canada, aged 23, both residents of Los Angeles.
Charles Henderson, a native of Missouri, aged 21, and Ruby F. Fariss, a native of California, aged 20, both residents of Los Angeles.
Paul Ostrom, a native of Illinois and a resident of Garlock, Kan., aged 25, and Ida M. Davis, a native of Kansas and a resident of Burlingame, Kan, aged 24.
W. Humes Roberts, a native of New York and a resident of Los Angeles, aged 25, and Juliet Hughes Boal, a native of Ohio and a resident of Log Beach, aged 22.

Beach, aged 22.

John A. Simpson, a native of Georgia, aged 22, and Lillie Clark, a native of Texas, aged 19, both residents of Los

Charles G. Bostwick, a native of Ohio, aged 40, and Zula Dudley Green, a native of California, aged 18, both residents of Los Angeles.

DEATH RECORD.

HALL—In this city, March 17, 1897, A. I. Hall, a native of Wallingford, Ct., aged 69 years. Funeral from the parlow years.

Years of Walmandord, C., aged of Years.

No. 647 South Broadway, this day (Friday) at 11:30 a.m. Interment private.

BLAKE—In this city, March 17, 1897, Almira A. Blake, beloved wife of John X. Blake, a native of Wisconsin, aged 58 years 2 months.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, today (Friday,) at 2 o'clock p.m., from her late residency. No. 1222 South Hill street. Interment Rosedale Cemetery.

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DUBDURDIEU—At his late residence, No.
1613 St. John street, Emil Dubourdieu, beloved husband of Cenadia Dubourdieu, aged
43 years.
Funeral services will be held from Our
Lady of the Angels Church, opposite Plaza,
Friday at 3 p.m. Friends invited to attend.
GASSEN—In this city, March 17, Charles N.
Gassen, aged 27 years.
Funeral services will be held at the parors of Kregelo & Bresee, Broadway and
sixth street, today (Friday) at 10 a.m. Friends
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DUBOURDIEU—In this city, March 15, 1897,
Emil Dubourdieu, beloved husband of Mrs.
Cenaida Dubourdieu, aged 43 years.
The funeral will be held at his late residence, No. 1613 St. John street, this (Friday)
afternoon at 2 o'ciock. The friends are invited to attend years.
Funeral from parlors of Kregelo & Bresee, sixth and Broadway, today at 1:30 o'clock. Friends invited.



A regular feast of pretty, natty shoes. All the very latest styles made. Mahogany and chocolate shade kid.

Any grade you want to pay for-

Low Cut \$1.50 to \$4. High Cut \$2.50 to \$5.



Don't Wait...

What is the use of waiting till a few days before Easter to pick out your Spring Hat? The assortment of new Spring creations is now complete. You can now get first choice, and nothing need be done in haste to repent for after it is too late. Let us show you our unmatchable collection of high art Millinery before you decide on what or where to buy.

_____ Lud Zobel & Co.,

The "Wonder" Millinery, 219.5. Spring St.

Bauman's

Large size Covered Soup

Today O

Values in every department of the Great Store. Every article advertised is new. This backward spring weather helps to make the prices lower. Just as the tariff will operate to make them higher bye and bye.

Japanese Crumb Tray and Brush, Lacquered and heavy gold decorated,

Today 19c

Black Dress Goods.

Boys' Specials All-wool Black Surah Serge, with fine silk finish, 50 inches broad and quality that is worth 75c; for today these go at...... For 2 Days. Specially selected worths that will

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make this the most visited store in Colored Dress Goods. seven counties for today and to-

morrow. None to dealers at these Boys' Blue Flannel Knee Pants, 5 to 14 years.

Young Men's Dark Pants, good for every-day wear. 476° For 2 days.....

Boys' Zouave, Reefer and Double-Breasted Suits in all colors and sizes; worth \$2.46 For 2 days.... *********************************

Special Underwear.

Children's Long-sleeved Vests and Knee Pants, made of fine Jersey-ribbed Sea Island cotton, in spring weight; worth 39c; today......

Ladies' Jersey-ribbed Vests in Nile green and baby blue. Unusual handsome 3's garments; on special offer today at only

Ladies' Jersey ribbed Pants Egyptian cotton, knee length, medium weight; 50c quality; today.....

Grand Concert Saturday Night.

Rich Shoe Worths.

Ladies' Chocolate Tan Lace
Shoes made with cloth
tops and new coin toes.
These we offer for only.....\$2.50 Misses' Box Calf Button and Lace Shoes, hand sewed and newest style toes; \$2.65

Swell Silks.

Suits, Jackets, Capes.

ing Wash Goods.	Ladies' Navy and Black Tailor-n Suits. Coats half lined with silk skirts perfect fitting. These
Batiste, one of the new spring fabrics, in medium shades, 1 C d by dots in black and	skirts perfect fitting. These are very stylish \$10 kinds; they go today for
lors. Very choice 13	Ladies' Jackets made of broadclot in tan and navy and green. Cut by the latest nobby
sarita Cuona a fine Night malahi	model and worth 88;

Marguerite Crepe, a fine light we fluffy fabric in delicate shades of pink, blue, canary, green, etc. Exquisite for evening wear; worth 20c; today..... Ladies' Capes made of black, blue, tan or navy cjoth. Silk lining and newest fancy collar. Latest swell 87 50 garments: today today for only

French Organdie, in light colored grounds of fine sheer weave, besprinkled with lovely beads and sprays. No finer made for 25c; today......

Standard Draperies.

Men's Specials

For 2 Days.

Here are some seasonable articles which for today and tomorrow we offer at less money than most of the small stores pay for them. None to dealers at these prices.

Men's Half Hose, fancy mix-tures, double sole and high-spliced heel. For 2 days.... 11

Men's Suspenders, silk web and gilt trimmings. For 2 days

Men's Natural Gray Underwear, full make, ribbed skirt, anklet and wrist.

Men's Laundered Percale Dress Shirts, collar and cuffs attached. For 2 days.....

Proper

Laces.

White Ponit de Paris Laces, 3 to 4 inches wide. Raised outlined patterns, wash edges, and just right for the new fabrics; today for.

ter color. Entirely new. applique patterns and exceptionally fine Cream and White Oriental Laces, inches broad and of wonderful workmanship: real 30c and 35c qualities; on sale today

Forced To Sell Out.

By the Orders of the Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles.

COHN BROS.' Temple Block Clothing House

Containing Stock of a

\$40,000

Worth of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Blankets, Jewelry, etc., etc.,

Must Be Entirely Sold Out.

Owing to unexpected circumstances, beyond all jurisdiction of the COHN BROS. (Partners, owning, controlling and operating the concern known as "THE TEMPLE BLOCK CLOTHING HOUSE") their entire holdings were placed in the hands of the Court, and on March 10 were ordered by the Judge of said Superior Court To be Sold for Cash. The mandates of the Court were obeyed, and on Friday, March 12, the store remained closed, and every dollar's worth of merchandise in the

establishment was Marked Down to Cost Price, and Less,

This selling-out marks an era of fast and furious selling such as this city has not for many, many years witnessed. We have had such crowds during this sale that many times during the day we were compelled to close the doors and admit no others, not being able to serve all. Today and tomorrow we have sufficient additional help to accommodate any size crowds; still, we would advise all to come as early as possible.

FIXTURES and LEASE, and STOCK, either entire or in lots to suit, offered for sale--For Cash Only.

Goods Delivered Free to any part of city or to any railroad depot. No time or space wasted in quoting prices here, but every dollar's worth of goods is Actually and Honestly Being Sold at Cost and Less than Cost.

Terms-Cash Only, or Indorsed Notes Approved by Our Bank.

S.' Temple Block Clothing

Junction of Spring and Main Streets, opposite Temple Street.